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CARNEGIE TRUST CO., A BIG NEW YORK BANK CLOSED BY OFFICIALS

(By Associated Press.)

New York, Jan. 7.—The Carnegie Trust Company was closed this morning by direction of State Superintendent of Banks O. H. Cheney. It is capital at $1,500,000 and had deposits aggregating about $9,000,000.

The institution was in serious trouble in the panic of 1907 and never fully recovered. The adoption of the name Carnegie, as applied to the institution, was without Carnegie's authority or approval. It is understood he is not a stockholder but was immediately identified with it. Leslie M. Shaw was for a short time president of the bank in 1907 following his retirement from office as secretary of the treasury. His connection ceased after a few months because of differences with other officers of the institution.

Supt. of Banks Cheney issued a statement in which he said an examination of the affairs of the trust company caused him to conclude it was in an unsound condition and not safe to continue. J. T. Howell, is president of the company.

The suspension was not unexpected in the financial district and though the pinning of the notice of closing on the company's doors quickly brought a crowd of depositors but they gradually melted away.

The suspension caused selling on the stock exchange but declines were not large. Officials of the Trust company would not discuss the failure.

The late C. C. Dickinson who died last May after watching a chemical experience at Scranton, Pa., was one of the active founders of the bank and its president. His manner of making insecure loans drew some criticism.

Bankers familiar with the affairs of the Carnegie company said depositors would be paid in full.

(By United Press.)

New York, Jan. 7.—City Comptroller Prendergast, today accused City Chamberlain Hyde of favoritism in keeping large deposits in the Carnegie Trust Co., in spite of stories of that bank's instability. He claims that in July he warned Hyde that one million dollars was too much to keep in one bank and that the amount was subsequently reduced to $800,000.

CASE GOES TO HIGH COURT

Columbus, O., Jan. 7.—(Special to Times.)—The Scioto county case of William S. Kent against Samuel and Nancy Erwin has been filed in supreme court.

BLAKE.

In Cincy Feb. 6

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 7.—(Spl.)—Billy Sunday is coming to Cincinnati February 6th to meet a committee of Norwood ministers and laymen with reference to a tabernacle service to be held in Cincinnati next fall. Sunday will come here at music hall February 6.

A number of Kentucky and Ohio side horse traders held forth on Third and Market streets all day Saturday.

Lancaster Man Gets Fine Job

Columbus, O., Jan. 7.—(Special.)—A Washington special announced that President Taft will appoint Judge George E. Martin, of Lancaster, as a member of the court of appeals, the position declined by Wade Ellis. The position is a life appointment paying $7,500 a year. Martin is former law partner of A. I. Vorys.

BLAKE.

MINSTREL MAN IS NO MORE

(By United Press.)

New York, Jan. 7.—George Walker of the theatrical team of Williams and Walker, died at Islip Sanitarium where he has been ill for over a year.

BITTEN BY PET SPIDER

(By United Press.)

Columbus, O., Jan. 7.—Edward Groves, serving a 20-year sentence from Wood county for assault, explained a badly swollen eye to the penitentiary officials today by saying a pet spider, one of the team he is training, bit him last night because he forgot to feed it.

Tin Mills To Open

(By United Press.)

Scranton, Pa., Jan. 7.—The Steel Trust announced today that a majority of its tin mills would open Monday and run full capacity, employing 10,000 men.

BANDITS ARE CAPTURED

(By United Press.)

Duluth, Minn., Jan. 7.—William Maccard and Algot Johnson, the young bandits who yesterday killed a policeman after robbing a hotel here were captured today 25 miles from this city and are now in jail.

Johnson who is 15 years old, regrets the shooting and claims he did not fire a shot. The police are inclined to believe him. Maccard is much older and they believe he took the initiative.

John Brandel, a veteran employe of the Marting Dry Goods Company, and his wife will celebrate their fiftieth wedding anniversary January 17th.

Sketched At The Tabernacle BY SHONK

Schenk Turns Against Wife

(By United Press.)

Wheeling, W. Va., Jan. 7.—All doubts as to the attitude of John O. Schenk, at his wife's trial on Monday was removed today when in his first interview since his wife's arrest he said he must have been blind not to see what she was trying to do. He will not take the stand unless present plans are radically changed. His wife, who is charged with trying to poison him issued the following from her cell in reply: "Before God, I am not guilty."

Attempt Is Made On King Alfonso's Life

(By Associated Press.)

Malaga, Spain, Jan. 7.—What was believed by many to have been an attempt upon the life of King Alfonso occurred during a brief visit here Thursday, the king had arrived here from Madrid en route for Melilla for a week's visit. The king was just entering the door of his palace when their was an explosion in the crowd outside. Before the alarmed and stampeded mass of people fully realized just what had happened, Gendarmes closed in about the spot from which the report arose. It was found two persons had been slightly injured but no other harm done. Official account of the incident says it was unimportant and that a civilian dropped a "pistol enclosed in box." No further details were made public.

Baby Played With Matches, Dead Now

(By United Press.)

Columbus, O., Jan. 7.—The body of 2-year-old Marvin Street was found burned to a crisp by his mother, Mrs. S. K. Street, when she entered her sitting room after a short time this morning. A hole was found in the isinglass of the gas stove, showing where the child had punched holes in it with matches. The parents are prostrated.

John Gleason of West Second street, who has been alarmingly ill, was somewhat improved Saturday.

LIMA OIL MAN SHOT TO DEATH

(By Associated Press.)

Caney, Kansas, Jan. 7.—J. D. S. Neeley, president of the Michita Pipe Line company, president of the Lima (Ohio) Trust company and head of several large oil companies, was shot and killed in a hotel here this morning by Al D. Truskett, a prominent business man of Caney. The shooting was the result of litigation over an oil lease. Truskett was arrested.

(By United Press.)

Lima, O., Jan. 7.—J. D. S. Neely president of the Lima Trust Co., who was shot and killed at Caney, Kansas, was a millionaire gas magnate, 33rd degree Mason and traction magnate.

Neely left here Thursday to personally look into some of his western gas line connections. A few days later he met William Truskett, a manufacturer of Caney. Truskett claimed ownership of a Neely pipe line. After arguing some time Truskett went up to Neely in a hotel lobby and shot him three times. The latter died within an hour. He leaves a wife, two sons and a daughter. Neely was a prominent dry worker and also a prominent Methodist, and looked after the Standard Oil Company interests in this section.

Pomerene Was Welcomed Home

Canton, Jan. 7.—While the band played "Home, Sweet Home," and 1000 fellow townsmen of various political faiths cheered, Atlee Pomerene, senatorial nominee, came back to Canton last evening from Columbus. The time of Pomerene's return was in doubt until shortly before noon. Canton Democratic leaders had time, however, to get out thousands of hand bills, telling Cantonians that their honored citizen would arrive at 5:26, and urging a big turnout at the Pennsylvania Depot. Pomerene was hustled through the throng and into an open carriage, and, led by a long line of marchers, headed by the Grand Army Band, escorted to his home. Crowds lined the streets and cheered.

Charles Perrigal, has returned from a business trip to Pomeroy.

FINE TIME AT INSTITUTE

The Farmer's Institute which closed at Haverhill Friday after a two day's session was the most successful ever held there. The attendance was good, the Methodist church where the meetings were held being crowded at every session. The speaking was excellent and a feature of the program was a splendid address delivered by a state speaker on "Preservation of the Soil." The program was interspersed with music cleverly rendered.

BLAIR ASKED TO RESIGN OFFICE

(By United Press.)

Toledo, O., Jan. 7.—100 [illegible] were returned this morning as a result of yesterday's work of the grand jury.

Judge Blair announced today that the world recess from today to Wednesday morning of next week in order to let the officials catch up with their work.

Judge Blair will try several important cases in the interim. He will also hear confessions when he has time. 31 witnesses have been summoned for today. 81 pleas of guilty were entered this morning.

Blair received a typewritten unsigned post card asking him to resign his office because he was elected through these purchased votes. Blair wants the public to know he was elected in 1906 after refusing to contribute to the fund

Senator Elkins Is Sleeping His Last Long Sleep

(By Associated Press.)

Elkins, W. Va., Jan. 7.—Senator Stephen B. Elkins today is sleeping his last long sleep in the graveyard of this little mountain town. He was laid at rest within a brief time after the funeral train from Washington had crept into the station this morning, bearing the bereaved family, relatives and mourning friends both in official life and out.

Another special train arrived from Charleston, the state capitol, practically at the same time. It brought Gov. Glasscock, his cabinet, justices of the supreme court and a score and more of state officials.

The town was crowded with mourners who had thronged there from every direction. All business was suspended, flags fluttered at half mast and windows were close curtained.

Mrs. Elkins did not come with the party from Washington. Overcome by the shock she was in such a condition that her physician forbade her leaving Washington.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Barron in the Davis Memorial Presbyterian church. The ceremony was simple in extreme, conducted in the presence of a throng that took up every inch of space within the edifice and overflowed into the street. The body was laid to rest in Maplewood cemetery. There were brief rites at the grave.

Immediately after the interment the congressional delegation and other distinguished members of the party returned to the national capitol. The Elkins family were of the returning party, all of them being anxious to rejoin the stricken widow.

Striker Starves

(By United Press.)

Chicago Jan. 7.—Mrs. Rose Zigelietner today died from starvation, leaving two children. She was a striking garment worker and apparently was in ignorance of the relief organization. The Union will take care of the children.

BRINGS OUT THE MONEY

(By United Press.)

Washington, Jan. 7.—The people's regard for a Postal Savings bank was shown today when an aged woman and two Virginia farmers appeared at the postal department and wanted to deposit a total of $2600. They had both lost money in banks in the past and had been keeping their money at home. As there is no postal branch here their money was refused.

Joe Wesley Powell and Miss Ella Pfleger, of Scioto, P. O., were united in marriage by Squire Hall, Saturday.

Blair Sent To Pen

(By United Press.)

Circleville, O., Jan. 7.—James Blair, claiming to be a nephew of Judge A. Z. Blair, famous for his West Union vote selling probe, was today sentenced to 4 years in the penitentiary for hog stealing.

Lost Her Mind

An affidavit charging unsoundness has been filed in probate court against Belle Brooks, an inmate of the county infirmary. The inquest has been set for next week.

ROCKWELL IS TO LOSE OUT IS RUMOR

(By United Press.)

Columbus, O., Jan. 7.—Friends of Governor Harmon are today claiming that David L. Rockwell of Ravenna, will lose out of either being appointed lieutenant governor, to succeed Atlee Pomerene or state insurance commissioner. They say that since Harmon considered him for insurance commissioner he has changed his mind and will not offer Rockwell either job.

No Clues Found

(By United Press.)

Cumberland, Md., Jan. 7.—The Elosser-Twigg inquest was resumed today with the girls family still being examined. The authorities seemed to be about where they started in the case, although they have a slight new clue in the discovery of some fruit cake at the Twigg home and similar case in the Elosser home.

Explosion, 15 Hurt

(By Associated Press.)

Lexington, Jan. 7.—Fifteen miners were badly burned and 50 others narrowly escaped, when an explosion occurred in the Big Hill Coal Co. mines in Lee county.

PEARY GAVE PROOFS

(By United Press.)

Washington, Jan. 7.—Before the house committee on naval affairs today Capt. Robert E. Peary presented his proof of his discovery of the North Pole. To the sub-committee he described his dash into the North and deposited with them his memoranda, diary and other paraphernalia.

The committee was deeply interested in Peary's final dash and return. Numerous questions about the possibility of faking his records were asked, but they did not apparently disconcert Peary.

BILLY BUTT IN THE TIMES WEATHER MAN.

Passed up th' Sunday meetin's last night for swell feed. There ain't much that I know of that I won't pass up if there's anything like fine eatin' in sight. Bein' accustomed usually to a diet of tin cans, bar'l hoops, and other articles generally considered indigestible by most folks, naturally welcomed th' change. It was a swell spread all right th' Hansen Furniture Co. gave us last night and so here's to them. Also here's to you.—

Ohio, Indiana, West Virginia, Local rains or snows tonight and Sunday slightly warmer.

Sunday Services

Sermons And Services at the Various Churches.

ALL SAINT'S
Corner Court and Fourth.
Rev. E. Ainger Powell—Rector.

First Sunday after the Epiphany. Holy Communion will be celebrated at 7:30 a. m. The Sunday school will meet at 9 a. m. Morning Prayer, Litany and address as usual at 10:30 a. m. Evensong and address at 7 p. m. Let us have a large attendance at Sunday school. Choirmaster Knox will be present and will conduct the singing. Next Sunday week is the Missionary Day, for Sunday schools and the Rector has received a special form of service from the Board of Missions to be used on that day. Copies will be given to every child present. Be sure and get yours and save your pennies in order that you may be able to give liberally to the offering on that day. At the morning service to-morrow the Rector will make an address of special interest to all church people and every loyal communicant and adherent of the church in Portsmouth is expected to be present. Make a special effort to come and do not allow any insufficient reason to keep you away. In the evening the Rector will preach on "The Star of Hope and its Message to the World." Special music for Epiphanytide will be sung by the choir under the leadership of Mr. E. E. Knox.

A cordial invitation is extended to men, women and children to attend these services. The Rector's addresses at the evening service are specially intended for men. To reach the church walk from Chillicothe down West Fourth to Court or alight from car at corner of Court and West Second and walk out Court to Fourth.

Feast of the Epiphany.

The Feast of the Epiphany was observed at All Saints' Parish church yesterday with a celebration of the Holy Communion at half past seven in the morning and a brief Vesper service in the evening. At the communion service the Rector blessed and used for the first time a beautifully bound Missal or Altar Service Book presented b ya lady of the Parish and bearing the inscription, "From a Mother—in memory of a Daughter.—Not lost but gone before. R. I. P., Christmas 1910." The book is the best of its kind published by the famous firm of Nelson and is bound in full sevnnt morocco of a rich red color. It was given in response to the same appeal and will be presented shortly.

Trinity Methodist Episcopal.
Corner Gallia and Offnere Sts.
Rev. W. C. Hartinger, Pastor.

Sunday school at 8:45. W. B. Anderson, Supt. This is the only service to be held at Trinity. Every member should attend. We expect an attendance of 1000 on Sunday. Miss Annie Maclaren, "The Scotch Nightingale" of the Sunday party, will sing. The school will close promptly at 10 o'clock so you will have plenty of time to get to the tabernacle. Everybody is welcome at Trinity. A Home-like church.

German M. E. Church.
Cor. Fourth and Washington Sts.
Rev. Bauman—Pastor.

Sunday school at 8:45 a. m. Let no one fail to attend. All the other services of the day will be held at the tabernacle. The Ladies' Aid society will meet with Mrs. C. Winter, 140 East Eighth street on Monday afternoon.

Bigelow, M. E. Church.
Washington and Fifth Sts.
Jas. N. Eason, Pastor.

There will be no preaching services during the evangelistic campaign. But don't forget the Sabbath school will go right on. You should let nothing keep you away to-morrow. We meet at 8:45. Notice change of time. Will close promptly at 10, this will give you time to go to the tabernacle for service at 10:30.

First Presbyterian
Corner Court and Third
John W. Dunning, Pastor.

Bible school will convene promptly at 9 o'clock. It has been decided to close the school at ten minutes before ten, to give all forty minutes to get to the tabernacle. Let every teacher and scholar be present, and on time. It is all important that you be there at the beginning as the opening exercises will be very brief. The Men's class will meet in the Men's room and begin the lesson at once, having a brief opening exercise of its own. The subject will be tomorrow, "Religion in the Home." Let every member of the class be present and enjoy this brief hour. All men are invited. Let us make this, the only service in the church a great one.

Grandview Ave. Christian.
A. Preston Gray, Pastor

Bible school in Brady block at 9:45 a. m. Class No. 14 and the primary department meet in the basement of the church. We will not neglect the communion. So if you are not just a church member, but a Christian also, then do not miss this service. Your church has but one sermon a week and surely you will not miss that. There is not a school in the city where your effort will count for more than with us. What is your ambition Just to count one? Why not go where your influence will be felt, realized and appreciated. If you want to bring your nose just to have it counted we don't want you. Be good of course, but be good for something. We look for a great attendance tomorrow. Don't fail us. We will all get out in time to go to the big tabernacle. Everybody goes there, of course.

First Christian Church
Corner Third and Gay.
Edgar James Meacham, Pastor

Remember our Sunday school hour is 9:45 during the Sunday revival. Please come on time tomorrow. We expect a great day. More than 900 in our school last Sunday. By the faithful co-operation of all officers and teachers we can do better tomorrow. Let us try.

The officers of the church will meet in regular business session on Monday night. Also a brief praise and evangelistic service will be held and the ordinance of baptism administered. All are invited.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.
The Auditorium, Cor. Gallia and North Waller.

Sabbath school at 9. Douglass Miller, Supt. We are looking for the breaking of all previous records in our school tomorrow. We can do it if we go after it as we have other things. Let every one go after another. Our Men's Bible Union was the largest since its organization. We ought to double it tomorrow. Remember our pledge of last Sunday. The subject for discussion in the Men's class is "Imitations."

There will be preaching on the west side chapel Monday evening at 7:30 sun time instead of Sunday afternoon. This change will continue during the evangelistic meetings of the city.

Kendall Avenue Baptist.
F. A. Maier, pastor. 1320 Offnere

Our Sunday school had a good beginning on New Years day. Let us keep up the good record. Remember we begin promptly at 9 and close at 10. This will give all an opportunity to get to the Tabernacle early for the 10:30 service. Bring your church offering to the school.

New Boston Baptists.

Don't miss the Sunday school tomorrow. The pastor will speak at 10:30. Subject, "The Cost of Power." There wil lbe no service at the church during the week.

FREE BAPTIST CHURCH.
Freeman W. Chase, Pastor.

Sunday school at 8:45 a. m. The school will open promptly at this hour and close promptly at 10 a. m., giving ample time to get to the big tabernacle for a good seats. Let every scholar be present promptly on time.

United Brethren Church.
Corner Seventh and Gay Sts.
W. H. Howard, Pastor

Do not forget the Sabbath school at 9 a. m. Our school is a progressive one. You are the one that makes it so. Remember that we must begin on time so that every one may attend the meetings at the tabernacle.

"Every one there and on time is our motto!"

Stopped Those Pains

Copper Hill, Va.—Mrs. Ida Conner, of this place, says, "For years, I had a pain in my right side, and I was very sick with womanly troubles. I tried different doctors but could get no relief. I had given up all hope of ever getting well. I took Cardui, and it relieved the pain in my side, and now I feel like a new person. It is a wonderful medicine." Many women are completely worn-out and discouraged on account of some womanly trouble. Are you? Take Cardui, the woman's tonic. Its record shows that it will help you. Why wait? Try it today. Ask your druggist about it.

Notice To Ushers

Homer Selby, secretary of the Ushers crew at the Billy Sunday tabernacle, requested the Times to announce the fact that all members should be at the tabernacle by 6:45 at the very latest. He asks that they be there at 6:30 if possible as crowds will begin arriving at that time hereafter. They are requested to report their presence to one of the assistants and will be assigned to a certain section. There was an inadequate number of ushers on hand Friday evening to properly take care of the big crowd.

Escaped With His Life.

"Twenty-one years ago I faced an awful death," writes H. B. Martin, Port Harrelson, S. C. "Doctors said I had consumption and the dreadful cough I had looked like it, sure enough. I tried everything, I could hear of, for my cough, and was under the treatment of the best doctor in Georgetown, S. C., for a year, but could get no relief. A friend advised me to try Dr. King's New Discovery. I did so, and was completely cured. I feel that I owe my life to this great throat and lung cure." Its positively guaranteed for coughs, colds, and all bronchial affections. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free at the Fisher & Streich Pharmacy.

Son Not Worth 65 Cents

John Henderson, a white wing, asked the police to assist in locating his long missing son, Ash Henderson, Friday evening. The boy went into winter quarters with Fox Bros' circus at Newark, September 8th, and has not been heard from since. When John learned that the telephone toll to Newark amounted to 65 cents, he concluded to wait for the present.

At Home From Western Trip

Mrs. E. D. Brashart and her son Helen Brashart, of Lucasville, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Weck, of Youngstown, Ohio, are at home from the West, where they visited Kansas City, Chicago and Columbus, Ohio. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Moore, of Denver, Colo.

Normal School At Fullerton

Prof. Wm. M. Webb is to open a teachers training school at Fullerton, Ky., starting Feb. 27th and continuing 12 weeks.

SUGGESTIVE QUESTIONS

ON THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON BY REV. DR. LINSCOTT FOR THE INTERNATIONAL NEWSPAPER BIBLE STUDY CLUB.

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Asa's Good Reign in Judah, 2 Chron. 15:1-15.

Golden Text—Be ye strong therefore, and let not your hands be weak; for your work shall be rewarded 2 Chron 15:7.

(1.) Verses 1-2 — What do you understand by the Spirit of God coming upon Azariah, and do men have similar experiences today?

(2.) Whose son was Asa and what was the character of his father?

(3.) What victorious experience had Asa just had?

(4.) What does it avail a man if he was converted and lived a noble life for many years if he is now living in sin?

(5.) What is the unyielding condition if we would perpetuate the material or spiritual success of the past or the present? (This question must be answered in writing by members of the club.)

(6.) In view of the natural constitution of things, why is it impossible for God to give any man material or spiritual success who is living out of harmony with God and the conditions which bring success?

(7.) Verse 3 — What was the effect upon Israel when they did worship the true God?

(8.) What is the effect of true religion and education upon a nation?

(9.) Is there any evidence that Israel, when living without God, was ever prosperous, or when living true to God, in adverse circumstances?

(10) How often may a nation or an individual turn back to God after having forsaken him?

(11.) If the sole motive in turning to God is to be saved from our trouble, how will God receive us?

(12.) Verses 5-6 — What are always the results of living out of harmony with God?

(13.) What are the conditions to be observed, if we would have inward and outward peace?

(14.) Do physical, or mental troubles give us most "vexations," and what would you say is the greatest agony a man can endure?

(15.) Why is it right to say when a nation or an individual suffers as a result of wrong doing, that "God did vex them with adversity?"

(16.) What is the reason that those who are wrong themselves generally delight in accusing others and trying to hurt or destroy them?

(17.) Is it possible for a nation to be permanently prosperous which is untrue to God, i. e., to the moral laws that are found in the warp and woof of human nature?

(18.) Verse 7 — Is it possible for right doing to go unrewarded and how, and when, do the rewards generally come?

(19.) Is right doing actually under our own control?

(20.) Verses 8-10 — Which is the greater incentive to right doing the nobility, or the profit of it?

(21.) What are the rewards of doing right?

(22.) Verses 11-12 — What is the sacrifice that God most delights in from us?

(23.) Verses 13-15 — Should the State compel people to be outwardly religious?

(24.) Would you commend or condemn the sentiment in verses 12-15?

Lesson for Sunday, January 22, 1911. Omri and Ahab Lead Israel into Greater Sin. 1 Kings 16:15-23.

Foley Kidney Pills

Are tonic in action, quick in results. A special medicine for all kidney and bladder disorders. Mrs. Maggie Ross, Port Huron, Mich., says, "I suffered with kidney and bladder troubles for some time and used lots of different kidney medicines, but received no relief until I took Foley Kidney Pills. I used to have backache so severe I could not stand up without assistance. I also had dizzy spells which were always accompanied by nervous headaches. My kidney action was irregular and painful. I used Foley Kidney Pills for a few weeks and I am entirely cured of all this pain." Fisher & Streich, Portsmouth, Ohio.

SITS ON TACK, CALLS POLICE

Some cruel joker placed a carpet tack in an upright position on a chair at Bridges' boarding stable Friday evening, and when a moment later "Bill" Patterson seated himself, mighty uproar followed. Bill yelled like a Comancho Indian for a few seconds, and then flew into a fighting rage. Rushing to the telephone he sent in a hurry call for the police. Officers arrived just in time to suppress a serious clash.

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$6.00 ones for only	$3.00

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$3.75 values for only	$1.88
$5.00 values for only	$2.50
$7.50 values for only	$3.75
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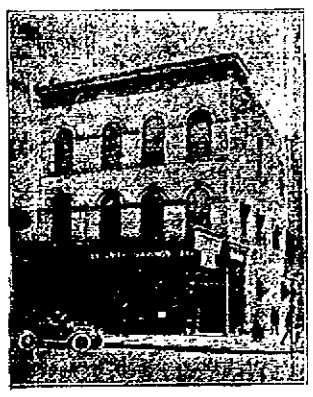

for your patronage of the past year and hope we may merit its continuance in the future.

WE SHALL ALWAYS STRIVE, to conduct our business that each transaction may be pleasing and satisfactory to you.

Hoping the year 1911 will be a happy and prosperous one to all.

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9 by 12 Tap Rugs. $10.00 values for .. $8.75
9 by 12 Royal Tap Rugs. $10.75 value for $9.25
8-8 by 12 Seamless Manor Tap. $12.00 value for .. $10.45
9 by 12 Eureka Tap. $11.50 value for $9.75
9 by 12 Empire Tap. $15.00 value for .. $13.00
9 by 12 Axminster Rug. $20.00 value for $15.00
9 by 12 Mottled Axminster for $15.00
9 by 12 Sax Axminster Rugs. $20.00 value for .. $17.50
9 by 12 Velvet Tap Rug. $21.00 value for $18.00
9 by 12 Roxbury Tap Rugs. $19.00 value for .. $16.50

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HARMON ENTERS UPON SECOND TERM MONDAY

Columbus, O., Jan. 7.—Governor Harmon will enter upon his second term at noon Monday. At that time the oath of office will be administered to him by Chief Justice William T. Spear of the supreme court of Ohio. The ceremony will take place in the large reception room of the chief executive's office, and will not consume more than one minute of time. Although no invitations have been issued, any one who chooses may go and witness the governor's inauguration into office. It is open to the public and, no doubt, many will be on hand to see it. Atlee Pomerene will be inaugurated as lieutenant governor in the senate chamber at 11:45 Monday morning. A judge of the supreme court will administer the oath of office to him.

Charles H. Graves of Oak Harbor, Ottawa county, will succeed Carmi A. Thompson as secretary of state and Timothy S. Hogan of Wellston, Jackson county, will succeed U. G. Denman as attorney general on Monday. State Treasurer David S. Creamer will enter upon his second term on that day. Other Democratic state officers-elect, with the exception of the two judges of the supreme court, Maurice H. Donahue and James Johnson, who took office on Jan. 1st, will not begin on their terms until later. Frank E. Monnett, clerk-elect of the supreme court, S. E. Strode, dairy and food commissioner-elect and J. A. Staats, new member of the state board of public works, take office in February. Frank W. Miller, new state commissioner of schools does not begin on his term until about the middle of July.

It is probable that Representative Owen J. Evans of Stark county, will formally nominate Atlee Pomerene for United States senator in the house next Tuesday. It has not been determined who will perform this duty for Mr. Pomerene in the senate. In presenting Mr. Pomerene's name at the joint caucus, Mr. Evans surprised everybody by his oratorical ability. He was in splendid voice and made his presentation speech in a very convincing and effective manner.

Mr. Pomerene's determination to retain the office of lieutenant-governor until March 3rd, the day before he takes office as United States senator, is pleasing to Governor Harmon, who made it known to Mr. Pomerene that he would like him to hold on to the office until that date.

Speaker Samuel J. Vining announced that he would hand down his committee appointments in the house next Tuesday morning. He was in conference with Governor Harmon about the appointments, and also with regard to matters of legislation in which the chief executive is interested. Friday, Speaker Vining is strongly in favor of the enactment of every measure endorsed by the Democratic state platform, and he will bend every energy towards carrying out its recommendations.

Both sides have selected their speakers for the joint debate on county supervision versus township supervision, which will be held next Thursday at the annual meeting of the state board of agriculture. This is a burning question among the directors of the state. If county supervision prevails some 150 township superintendents will be in danger of losing their jobs, because all schools will be under the direction of a county superintendent.

Those favoring county supervision will be represented in the debate by State School Commissioner J. W. Zeller and State School Inspector S. K. Mardis. The champions of township supervision will be represented by State School Commissioner-elect Frank W. Miller, L. S. Ivins of Lebanon and A. A. Mayseles of Brookville, Montgomery county. Mayseles is president of the township superintendents' association. School Commissioner Zeller has made a recommendation to the legislature urging that provision be made for county supervision.

Those who claim to have some inside information on the matter, declare that Judge David L. Rockwell, of Ravenna, mentioned for appointment as lieutenant governor upon the vacation of that office by Atlee Pomerene, will not be selected for that position by Governor Harmon. Rockwell was selected to succeed State Insurance Commissioner Charles C. Lemert, but whether or not, on account of his activity in the recent senatorial fight, in which he had fought Pomerene, this program will be adhered to, is problematical. Rockwell called on Governor Harmon Friday afternoon to try to find out where he was at.

Next week the state convention of the Ohio miners will be held in Columbus, and the week after, the convention of the United Mine Workers of America, comprising the United States and Canada, will also be held in this city. The last named body represents a membership of nearly 300,000.

Case Is Not Yet Settled

The case of H. O. Hood against Mrs. Louise Munian, being heard in Squire Byron's court, has not as yet been settled. Decision will be rendered by the magistrate Monday.

Everything in our store is reduced in price.—The Haas Clothing Co. 6-2

JUDGE GARY IS HEAD OF U. S. STEEL TRUST

New York, Jan. 7.—Elbert H. Gary, former judge, become the actual head of the United States Steel Corporation, commonly called the steel trust, by the board's acceptance of the resignation of William E. Corey, president. Judge Gary has been practically the head

ELBERT H. GARY

of the concern for three years or more. As chairman of the finance committee and of the board of directors his power has been virtually greater than that of President Corey, who has spent much of his time abroad since his marriage to Maybelle Gilman, the actress, after he divorced his first wife. It is believed that no president will be elected to succeed Mr. Corey, but that Judge Gary by authority of his present official positions will merely assume the supreme command of the billion dollar corporation.

BOOZY COUPLE ARRESTED AT TABERNACLE

Kendall Frazier, shoeworker, got drunk Friday night and went into the Sunday tabernacle but was steered to the outside by his companion, Ogden Chaffin. The pair were both intoxicated and once on the outside began yelling like Indians. The war whoops attracted the attention of Officer Buckley who placed both under arrest and brought them down to the station. Frazier was held over night and Saturday was let off with a fine of $4.80 by Mayor Scarey who warned him that the tabernacle was a poor place to go to cut such capers.

Trip Was Given Up

Attorney Henry T. Bannon and wife are expected home from Washington, D. C., Sunday, having postponed their pleasure trip on the Atlantic on account of the death of Geo. P. Johnson's grandmother who died in Roanoke, Va. Mr. and Mrs. Bannon with Mr. Johnson and wife were preparing to board a liner at New York, when the news of Mrs. Johnson's death was wired them. They had planned to make a five days' trip on the ocean to New Orleans from which city they were to return home by rail.

Miss Minnie Frey, daughter of Mrs. Nick Frey of Friendship, is slowly recovering from an attack of paralysis suffered last week.

Shy Is No Longer Shy

M. W. Shy, the Grant street young man, for whom a Times lost "ad" recovered $55, was the happiest fellow in Portsmouth on Saturday.

Word that his pocketbook had been found did not reach Shy until late Friday night for he had been absent from home all day. Chief McCarty had taken precautions against someone else making a false claim to the money by notifying the finder, Mrs. Whitehead of No. 165 West Seventh street not to give up the purse to anyone unless the claimant was accompanied by a police officer. Police Clerk Frank Beaumont went with Shy to the Whitehead home Saturday morning. Shy rewarded the woman with a ten dollar bill for her honesty. She had found the pocketbook at Fourth and Chillicothe streets. Shy was formerly a clerk at the N. & W. Terminals but is now preparing to go on the road for a Cleveland firm. His wife is at present visiting relatives in West Virginia.

NEW TIME CARD ON THE N. & W. SUNDAY

A few changes in the N. & W. passenger schedule were announced Saturday, which will go into effect Sunday morning.

No. 3, which has been leaving the local depot at 3:45 a. m. for Columbus and northern points, will leave at 3:47; No. 15, due to leave at 3:20 p. m. for Columbus, will leave at 3:35, beginning Sunday. No. 25, which has been leaving for Cincinnati at 3:25 p. m., will be changed to leave at 3:40.

The noon eastbound train will leave at the regular time, no change being made in its schedule. The eastbound passenger between Portsmouth and Williamson will depart at 11:45 instead of 11:42. All trains which have been changed are to leave a few minutes later than before.

McKnight Landed

Ironton, O., Jan. 7.—W. G. McKnight, the well known real estate agent, was notified Friday, that he had been named as one of the assistants to the new tax commission which will sit in Columbus. The salary has not been definitely fixed but it will be between $1500 and $1800 a year.

To Work For A Soap Firm

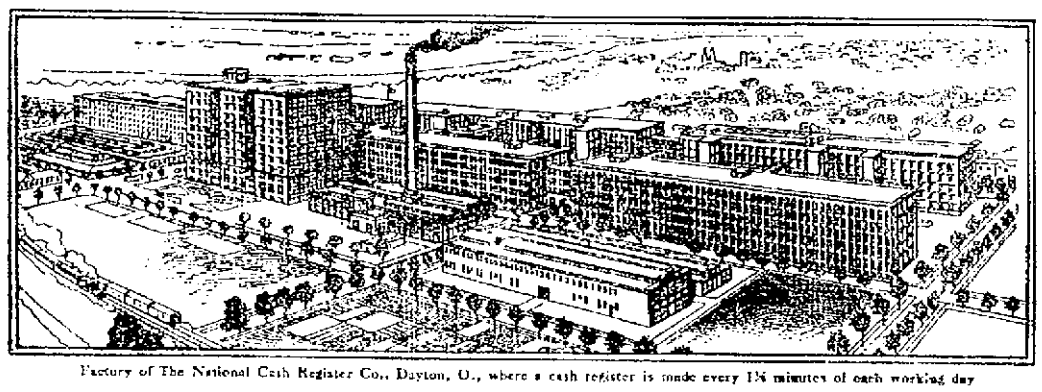
Roy Coburn, well known local young man, has accepted a position with the advertising department of the Colgate Company, of New York, the big soap manufacturers. Mr. Coburn will travel and advertise the Octagon brand of soap.

Baby Girl Arrived

When Herman Bierley, son of H. A. Bierley, the real estate man, returned to his home in Washington, D. C., after a visit here with his parents during the holidays, he found there had been an increase in his family, his wife having given birth in his absence to a baby daughter. Word from Herman is to the effect that he feels keenly the responsibilities of a father and is justly proud of his little girl.

Storekeepers' Convention On At Dayton

Representatives of The National Cash Register Company Attend Annual Gathering of Salesmen at the Factory



Factory of The National Cash Register Co., Dayton, O., where a cash register is made every 1½ minutes of each working day

Representatives of the National Cash Register Company, to the number of 180, from points all over the United States and Canada are meeting this week at the Dayton factory. There they are studying the latest and best store systems and methods of handling transactions between customers and clerks.

A little later other groups of salesmen, including our local representative, will attend similar conventions at Dayton. For this is the annual convention season when we bring together our salesmen, so that each may get the benefit of the ideas and experience of all.

The National Cash Register Company's representatives are more than salesmen; they are experts on Store Systems.

In 1910, by installing improved methods of handling sales, they increased the profits of 129,154 retail storekeepers. Over $50,000,000 a day are handled by National Cash Registers.

In their annual conventions at Dayton our salesmen interchange ideas and study the newest, most improved business methods. They suggest improvements in registers to meet storekeepers' needs; for all of the important practical improvements are made in direct response to the suggestions or demands of storekeepers.

Our representatives also attend "post graduate courses" at the company's School for Salesmen. Here they are taught by the leading store system experts of America the best ways of handling cash and credit sales and all other transactions that take place in a store.

G. E. SMITH

The school idea is carried throughout the entire factory with its 5763 employes. Each one is taught the best way of doing his work. As a result the N. C. R. has built up a force of skilled workers which could not be duplicated anywhere.

That is why this company can guarantee to furnish the best cash register for the storekeeper's needs at the lowest price. That is why the output of the factory has been doubled in the last four years with only 9 per cent. more employes. The storekeeper gets the benefit of these economies.

The monthly output of the factory is over 10,000 registers, ranging in price from $5 to $765—a cash register for every kind of retail store, large or small.

Monthly sales average $1,800,000. October sales broke all records, totaling $2,300,000, the orders coming from 19 countries all over the civilized world.

129,154 storekeepers bought National Cash Registers in 1910, an increase in sales of 20 per cent. over 1909. And the demand is increasing so fast that new machinery is now being installed in the factory to prepare for an output of 155,000 registers in 1911.

Mr. G. E. Smith, our local representative, has had the benefit of the annual conventions and the N. C. R. School in the past. He will go to the factory shortly for our 1911 convention. His increased knowledge of up-to-date business systems and methods of handling transactions between clerks and customers, gained through contact with other system experts, will be freely tendered to any storekeeper. Send for him and let him suggest ways to increase your profits for 1911.

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THERE IS A DOUBT.

The New York Times, anent the Adams county exposures, advances the claim, that the cities are lest corrupt than the country, when it comes to a matter of elections.

We have some doubt about that. Our New York namesake is building on the premise that all rural districts are as bad as Adams. There is where it starts wrong. The corruption of the ballot varies in degree and takes various forms. There are variations in degree even in Adams. Some districts were worse, much worse than others and so far it is not evident that a majority of the voters of the county were purchasable. So there are other counties which have not reached such a general degradation of the ballot. Conditions in Adams are peculiar. The strength of the parties was nearly equal and a most shameful situation of bossism and partisan machinery has long prevailed in the political districts of which she was a part. Corruption flowed downward in a torrent and therefore its sweep was more widespread.

In Adams ballot frauds were confined solely to vote buying, but in the cities there is false registration and repeating aside from that. Arguing therefore after the fashion of the Times we could take the instance of Philadelphia and prove by it that there is not comparison of election debauchery in the country with that of the city. For in Philadelphia it is no unusual thing for the fraudulent vote of a ward to be larger than the number of adult males residing therein and this condition is not prevalent in a single ward and one election, but generally over the city and at every election.

The simple truth is, the American people in the mass are much alike in city and country. Their human nature has the same weakness and cupidity is as latent in one division as the other. Whenever this is tempted victims are found and the number of victims depends principally upon the boldness of the tempters and the amount of boodle at their disposal. This is shown in the case of Adams. A generation ago boodling was practically unknown in her borders. One fool November day the Republicans bought the election and continued to do so for a number of years. Finally, the Democrats got desperate and bought it back. Since then it has been a contest of the longest purse, and each year more citizens have been corrupted.

The Hamilton Democrat admits there are many vote sellers in Butler as well as in Adams county. We hope this is a case where an honest confession is good for the soul.

A DIFFERENT FRUIT.

Senator Chauncey Depew, of New York, used to be known as "The Peach." It may be ungallant, but still we have to say it, his wife is not one also, but just a half of a pair, though the better half at that. The reason for this observation is that Mrs. Depew has started a movement to kill off all the Negro melodies of the country, rag-time and other in that she may supplant them with the bardic, or troubadour songs. We would not have her do that and we do not believe she can do it. Human nature isn't set that way nowadays, and never was for that matter. The troubadors sang of gallant heroes, maids in distress and noble deeds of war the bards pitched their notes in a high key of patriotism generally and oft of valor. The Negro gets down closer to nature, and shall we admit it to ignorance? His is the elemental expression of melody and joy—the rhythm of the music that is in the hum of the bee about the honey-flower, the babble of the waters, the balm of the breeze and the chords that throb in the heart and sweetest of all the crooning of mother to babe. Take the well spring of the so-called Negro melodies out of life and it would have no sunshine and gladness in its song.

Some of our valued contemporaries are demanding a fair trial for Portugal as a republic. We agree with them, provided Portugal first establish a republican form of government. At present she is nothing but a military oligarchy, depending alone on the combination of captains and generals being able to hold the most bayonets together.

A MISTAKE.

Friends of E. W. Hanley, who admired him and gave him such loyal support for senator, because they appreciated the fine service he had done in uniting the distracted Democracy of his district and are fully convinced of his great ability, will scarce approve of his vinegary criticism of Governor Harmon for encompassing his defeat.

What personal part Governor Harmon played in the selection of Pomerene we have no information beyond the statements made by Mr. Hanley and these may possibly be exaggerated in the heat of that disappointment which the beaten aspirant naturally feels. We may say, however, in passing that if the opposition of the Governor was as fatal as Mr. Hanley assumes, it is most singular that no one had intimation it was being interposed until after the caucus.

Be that as it may, it occurs to us that the opposition of the Governor was invited by the friends of Mr. Hanley. They tried most diligently to make it appear that the Governor favored the Dayton man. Yes, more than that, they sent emissaries over the state to set up the claim, that Governor Harmon, prior to the state convention, where Pomerene by machine tactics was forced upon the ticket, had entered into a deal by which the senatorial ambitions of the latter were to be effectually shelved. When that was put to us the first thought was the supporters of Mr. Hanley were playing a dangerous game—to their candidate, and should Governor Harmon learn, as he was morally certain to, how his name was being dragged into the contest there would be something doing in an opposite direction. If Governor Harmon abandoned his first intention to take part in the senatorial fight it must have been because his name was being unfairly used and he felt that was the only proper manner in which to administer rebuke. As a citizen and a Democrat he was undoubtedly justified in favoring a particular candidate, should he chose to exercise the privilege. And this in no wise conflicts with an alleged prior purpose not to take hand. Anyone has a right to honestly change his purpose. sometimes he is forced to change it in order to justify himself. The senatorial situation took such shape before it came to a crisis, that no matter what view one had of it in the beginning it did look like the best interests of the Democratic party and faith with the people demanded those who saw the light should follow it.

The politicians can never beat the people when the latter pull together.

A SUGGESTION.

The elevation of Atlee Pomerene to the senatorship will leave a vacancy in the office of lieutenant governor.

This is the signal for a number of ambitious gentlemen, who like to fall into something easy to get busy, through their handy friends of course, and they are already manifesting a purpose to pester the life out of the Governor, who has the appointment, to name some favorite son.

All of which moves us to a suggestion, which is this: Just for once, let the Governor alone. There is too much of this harassment of him who has places to give away and it would be perfectly delightful, we are sure, to Mr. Harmon, if he were allowed to make his own choice without any annoyance. He is going to make his own choice anyway and all pressure the ambitious ones and politicians may seek to bring to bear upon him will be as the breeze that listeth away.

Likes His Place

William Fowler, the new assistant sergeant-at-arms in the Senate, returned home Friday night from Columbus, where he has been all week. Mr. Fowler speaks highly of the man to whom he owes his appointment, Senator J. I. Hudson and predicts that he is going to make his mark in the legislature. Mr. Hudson introduced the fourth resolution passed at the joint meeting which is rather unusual for a beginner.

ACTION WAS POSTPONED

Prosecuting Attorney Horace L. Small, is still looking after the duties of city solicitor until his successor is named. Mayor Searcy said Saturday he would not appoint a new solicitor for some time to come.

NEW BOSTON COUNCIL

The New Boston council had a quorum Friday night but not a sufficient number of members were present to suspend rules for passing a resolutions to sell bonds and the matter was carried over to the next regular meeting, on Thursday of next week.

Ed Sachs, of West Third street who has been critically ill, was somewhat improved Saturday.

Clark Wants Radical Changes

WHAT CHAMP CLARK STANDS FOR:

SIX-YEAR TERM FOR PRESIDENT, NO RE-ELECTION.

THREE-YEAR TERM FOR CONGRESSMEN.

PRESIDENTIAL AND CONGRESSIONAL ELECTIONS LAST MONDAY IN AUGUST.

INAUGURATION OF PRESIDENT AND NEW CONGRESS FIRST MONDAY IN OCTOBER.

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Washington, D. C., Jan. 7.—Radical changes in the constitution of the United States are proposed by Champ Clark of Missouri, whose election as speaker of the sixty-second congress now is generally conceded. Congressman Clark declares that he is in favor of amending the constitution to elect the president of the United States for one term of six years and make him forever ineligible for re-election. In the same statement he advocates the election of congressmen for a term of three years, thus retaining the present ratio of two congressional terms to one presidential term. He wants the national election to be held the last Monday in August and the inauguration of the president and vice president and the opening of the new congress the first Monday in October. "I am in favor of the suggested change regarding the presidential term," said Mr. Clark, "because every time there is a president extraordinarily popular a lot of fools boom him for two terms and no more, and to break down that unwritten law now would be exceedingly dangerous. Therefore I am in favor now of fixing it so that it cannot be broken." The prospective speaker's suggestions have aroused much interest among public men here.

JOE M'GHEE IS NAMED AS HOGAN'S ASSISTENT

Columbus, O., Jan. 7.—Joseph McGhee of Jackson has been selected first assistant to Attorney General-elect Timothy S. Hogan. He will enter upon his new duties Monday.

For the purpose of completing the Newark riot cases, the present first assistant, W. H. Miller, will be continued in the office of the attorney general as a special assistant. This course was suggested to the governor by Mr. Hogan and has been approved by his superior.

Joseph McGhee is distinctly one of the leaders of the Jackson county bar. He is a graduate of the Lebanon Normal institute and had his legal training in the office of Judge James M. Tripp. He is 38 years old, of Virginia-English descent, a Presbyterian, and a member of the Democratic state executive committee. He was not a candidate for this appointment.

The coming of Mr. McGhee to Columbus provides a desirable addition to the social circle of the capital in the person of Mrs. McGhee. She was born Margaret Becker of Logan and her family has been prominent in Hocking county for many years. Mrs. McGhee is a woman of unusual intellectuality and decided personal charm. As Hocking county gave to Mr. Hogan one of the largest votes he received, his appointment of Mrs. McGhee's husband affords him a double pleasure.

McGhee is a member of the Democratic state executive committee.

Aged Woman Quite Sick

Mrs. Anna Blankemeyer, aged 85 years, one of Portsmouth's best known German women, is still bed fast at her home on North Chillicothe street.

Mrs. Charles Mohl of East 4th street, is threatened with pneumonia.

Accident Is Lucky

Bert Clark, who met with an accident at the Steel plant during the changing of rolls on the Three High plate mill, is congratulating himself in that he did not lose his entire left hand. As it was his thumb was partly severed. Bert was taking the baits out of the rest and Roller O. W. McCullough mistaking his shout raised the roll. Carl Sutton who had a foot mashed during a change of rolls recently, will be out on crutches in a few days. Owing to a rush of orders the plate mill is not expected to shut down for an overhauling the middle of the month, as expected.

Mild Winter In Colorado

Writing to friends here Henry Weghorst of Hoyt, Colorado, says the winter to date has been very mild there but that whole crops were frozen last August.

Jacobs Has Made Trade

M. Jacobs, the retired junk dealer, has just traded some of his Portsmouth property for the building lots at Highpoint, near Cincinnati.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank the friends, neighbors, Rev. E. J. M[illegible] and the Christian church choir their kindness shown us during the sickness and death of our dear mother.

CHRIS LEICHNER.
BENJ. A. LEICHNER.
MRS. CHRISTINA LILLY.

A complaint was made to the police Friday evening about the ber obstructing Robinson avenue

The Daily Times Saturday Song Hit.

But You'll Never Know Till You Get Married

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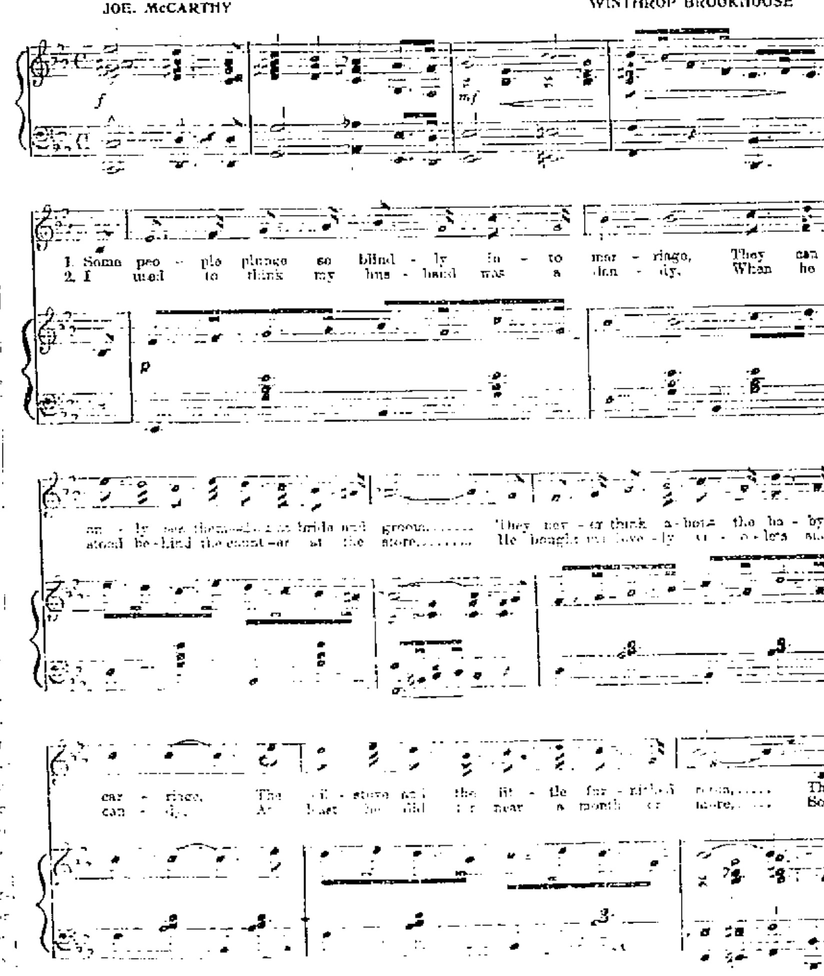

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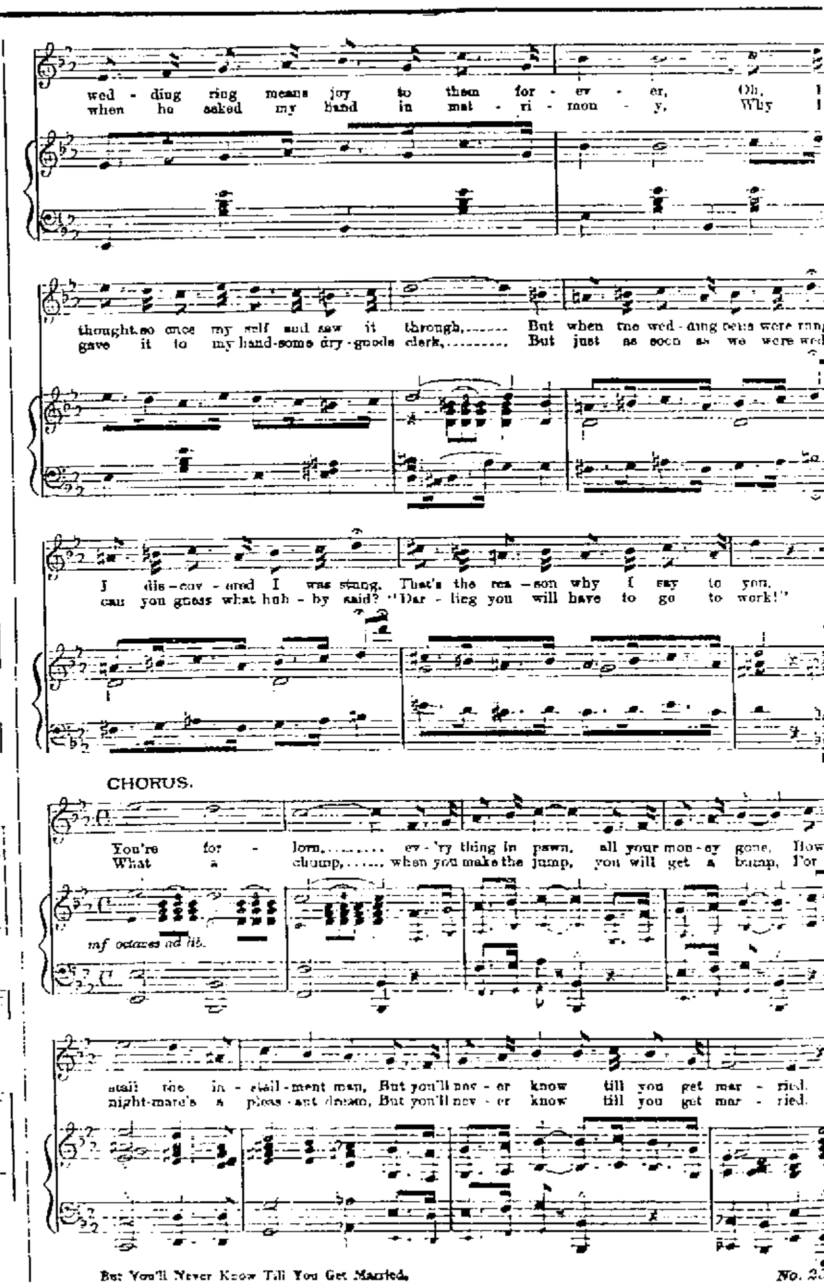

DIAMONDS!

We bought diamonds extensively before the tariff on these gems was increased for the holiday trade. Our Christmas sales were very gratifying, but we still have on hand a few extra quality diamonds above ordinary size, and a good supply of carefully selected stones of less weight, which we are still offering at prices based on cost to us and not on present value, which has been considerably increased by the added tariff and the improved financial conditions. We make a very attractive proposition to anyone not able at present to buy a stone as large as is desired. Come in and examine our offerings and get our prices.

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Stated meeting of Mt. Vernon Chapter Monday evening, Jan. 9, work in Mark Master Degree.

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WANTED: — Salesman of Ability and neat appearance to call on all merchants in their territory; elegant side line, convenient to carry; good commissions; prompt remittance.— A 151 Belmont Mfg. Co., Cincinnati, O. 24-31-Jan. 7-13-21.

WANTED:—A well known man of good standing to open an ODD PIN PARLOR in Portsmouth. The latest, best, most fascinating game. Capital required small. Permanent business. Billiard Bowling Alley Co. 937 Oliver Building, Pittsburg, Pa. 15-5-7

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NOTICE:—We will remove from your premises dead horses, cows and hogs. Free of charge; same however, must be whole, with ears and tails left on. Home phone 337. Bell phone, Main 22. The Portsmouth Chemical 4-tf

WANTED: For U. S. Army, able-bodied unmarried men between ages 18 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write the English language. For information apply to Recruiting Office, 603 Chillicothe St., Portsmouth, O. 2-155

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FOR SALE:—On Chillicothe St. between 8th and 9th, two story business house with 6 living rooms. Cellar, cistern and gas. Lot 58x120 ft. See J. M. Wendelken. 4-12

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FOR SALE:—Ten lots in Highpoint, a suburb near Cincinnati, O., on railroad and traction line. Will sell cheap or trade for Portsmouth property. Will straighten any difference in cash. See M. Jacobs, 509 Washington Sreet, Portsmouth, O. 2-26

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Restaurant Man Is Ill

George Maharas of the Manhattan restaurant, is at Hempstead hospital, ill with typhoid fever. His uncle, George, Sr., is there with him. It is part of the religion of the Greeks to stand by relatives under all circumstances.

Clint Taylor continues critically ill at his home on the West Side.

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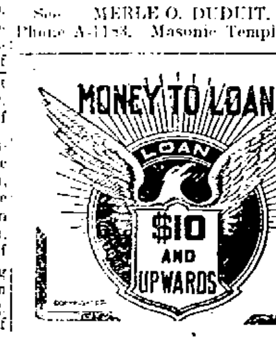

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JOHNSON FUNERAL TRAIN IS WRECKED

The special funeral train on the Norfolk & Western railway, bearing the remains of the aged mother of Pres. L. E. Johnson, who died in Roanoke, Friday was derailed near Williamson, W. Va., late Saturday afternoon. The derailment occurred near Tunnel N. 1 and every car left the track.

The train left Roanoke early Saturday and was running as second No. 15.

President Johnson, his family and relatives and N. & W. general officials were on the train.

Word received at division offices here was that no one was injured.

The train was on its way to Aurora, Illinois, the old home of the Johnson family.

The Williamson wreck train was ordered out. The track was torn up for several hundred yards.

LECTURE COURSE IS PLANNED BY SOCIALISTS

At a meeting of the Socialists to be held in the Newman building on Gallia street, Sunday afternoon, the matter of giving a lecture course will be definitely decided by that organization.

The party leaders state that they will likely decide upon a course consisting of six lectures, and that tickets will be sold for $1.00 for the entire series. A subscription of four months to the Appeal to Reason will be donated to the purchaser of each ticket.

The editor of that publication, Fred D. Warren, of Girard, Kans., was to have been here for a lecture on the evening of February 21st, but he has cancelled his engagement for the simple reason that he will be in jail on that date for violation of the postal laws.

Has A Fine Position

The many Portsmouth friends of Walter C. Taylor, well known former local newspaper man, will be pleased to learn of his latest advancement.

Mr. Taylor has just been named editor-in-chief of the Boot and Shoe Recorder of Boston, Mass. The current issue of the publication contains a handsome likeness of him, together with an interesting biographical sketch. Mr. Taylor since leaving Portsmouth, has been secretary of the Tradesmen's Publishing Company, of St. Louis, and editor of the Economist Shoe section of New York.

Police were called to West 11th street Saturday to scatter some boys who were fighting over some sleds.

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Baby Girl Adopted

Adam Sommer, of the Central Hardware Company, and wife on Saturday adopted a 15-months-old baby orphan girl.

The child was brought here from Joliet, Ill., by Mrs. Sommer's sister, a nun, Sister M. Aramilla, who has charge of an orphans' home in that city. The mother of the baby was burned to death a short time ago, and the husband in trying to rescue her also was so badly burned that his death followed a week later. Alphonse, the only son of the Sommer household, has long cherished a desire to have a little sister, and now his wish has been gratified.

No Word Yet Received

Up to a late hour Saturday afternoon no definite word had been received here as to when the remains of Robert G. Peebles would reach Portsmouth from Los Angeles and funeral arrangements accordingly have not yet been made.

Report Of Hold-Up

Both city and county authorities disclaim knowledge of a hold-up reported to have occurred at Sixth and Court streets Friday night. Two negroes were said to have relieved a Court street resident of $15.

NOEL GIRL IN ALABAMA

It is said that Edith Noel, the 14-year-old girl who was the central figure in the shanty boat case of some weeks ago has been taken to the home of an uncle in Alabama and is now making her home with him.

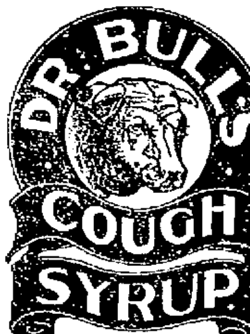
Four young men received heavy fines, two of them jail sentences and one a workhouse sentence besides, for the part which they played in the transaction. It is said that the matter may not be increased before the matter is finally dropped.

Two young children of William Hartshorn, of the East End Furniture company, are down with measles at his home on Lincoln street.

Dr. Walter E. M. Rauchalaus, formerly of Sciotoville, was reelected secretary of the Columbus Automobile club by its board of Managers Friday night.

A [illegible]-year-old son of Arthur Holland of Market street is very ill with throat trouble.

Dr. George M. Osborn, stricken Dry Run physician, continues steadily improving.



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INSTALLED OFFICERS

The newly elected officers of River City camp, Woodmen of the World, were installed on Friday night.

The officers are George Clifford, council commander; Taylor Coldiron, advisory lieutenant; T. H. Hibler, escort; Capt. Milstead, clerk; J. T. Murphy, banker; W. Busan, watchman; J. T. Hobstetter, sentry; Frank Moore and J. T. Hobstetters, managers; J. S. Murphy, chaplain; J. T. Hobstetter, W. S. Clark and Roy McElhaney, delegates to the National meeting; Drs. Fitch, Test and Wenderken, camp physicians.

Report Of A Drowning

Some stir was created in the West End Saturday by a report that a boy skating on the ice in the Scioto Bottoms had broken through and drowned. The story was brought to town by a West Side dairyman. Officer Al Duplain made careful investigation and found there was nothing in the report.

Fine Banquet Was Given

The losing side in a membership contest of the Daughters of America banqueted the winners Friday night. The installation of officers will be held next Friday night.

Dr. J. S. Berry Is Very Sick

Dr. J. S. Berry, a prominent Peebles physician, who has been ill for some time past, was reported in an alarming condition. His son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert McCoy of this city, are at his bedside.

Killing Dogs On Careys Run

Another dog was killed on Carey's Run Friday for fear of it developing hydrophobia. The canine belonged to Mrs. Anna Johnson. This made 29 dogs killed in the past three weeks.

Grocery Co. to Issue Book

The Gilbert Grocery Company is preparing to issue a booklet detailing its growth. The booklet will be handsomely illustrated with pictures of the various locations of the firm and its proposed new building. Photographer Fowler is already engaged in taking views for the booklet.

Child Died of Pneumonia

A 3-year-old twin son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Martin of Wait's Station died Friday from pneumonia after a brief illness. The funeral was held Saturday.

Piatt's Had Much Money With Them

Squire A. W. Piatt, of Friendship, a cousin of the Piatt boys, who were slain at their home on Rocky Fork, stated on Saturday that the murdered men probably had several thousand dollars in their possession when murdered.

Sheridan Piatt, son of Oliver Piatt, the older of the two men, states that there is no doubt that his father had between $1,600 and $1,700 in his possession alone, and that Minor probably had more money than his father, as he had never married and was of a more saving disposition.

W. E. TRIPP SUES B. & O. RAILROAD

W. E. Tripp, hardware merchant and tie dealer of South Webster, has brought suit against the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern Railroad Company for sums aggregating $6,331.20 alleged to be due on a contract for furnishing cross ties to the company during the years of 1907, 1908, 1909 and 1910. He alleges that $5,605.88 are due on shipments approved by the inspector and $623.50 on shipments delivered subject to inspection, which with accumulated interest amounts to $725.32.

Holcomb and Millar are Tripp's attorneys.

MUSIC DISTURBS DIENERS DREAMS

If petitions will have any weight with the city officials in stopping the electric piano at the Old Orpheum theatre, then Harry Deiner of the Miller Dry Goods Company, believes he will eventually put an end to the music box. On Saturday morning he circulated a petition among the business men in his immediate vicinity, asking the mayor to devise ways and means to silence that piano, not only after a certain hour in the evening, but altogether. The mayor has promised to see Manager Potts, and it is thought the matter will be eventually adjusted to the satisfaction of all parties concerned. This is the second petition that Mr. Deiner has presented to the mayor.

Epidemic Of Measles

Physicians report another epidemic of measles raging over the town. One doctor alone had seven cases on his calling list Saturday.

A large crowd attended the ball given at Zuefle's hall in Pond Creek the other night. Pick's orchestra of Carey's Run furnished delightful music.

Dope At Lima

The Columbus Journal says:

"Roy Pennybaker is living in Lima, having worked steadily from October, until the first of the year. From now on he will devote his time to light training toward form that will keep him on the Columbus roster. At Lima yesterday he said: "This next year is the one for me to make good in if I am ever to do so. I think I will get all the opportunity anyone should ask."

"There will be a conference in Columbus today between representative business men of Lima and officials of the Columbus club relative to the taking over of the Lima Ohio State League club by home interests. It was discovered in a hurried canvass yesterday, that Lima citizens do not want the banner of organized baseball to be taken out of their city. In less than a week the situation will be settled in some manner."

Mother and Son Give Words of Praise

Mrs. Barbara Burke suffered for years from malaria and chills. Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey drove the disease from her system and keeps her healthy and happy. Her son says Duffy's is "one of the family." He would not be without a bottle in the medicine chest.

MRS. BARBARA BURKE and her son, Mr. VALLY BURKE

Mrs. Burke writes: "Fifteen years ago I was a sufferer from malaria fever and chills. On the advice of a friend I took Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey and was cured. It proves effective in keeping malaria from my system and is a grand medicine for aged people. I have continued to use it ever since as a tonic." Mrs. Barbara Burke, 730 So. Liberty St., New Orleans, La.

In his letter Mr. Burke says: "It is with pleasure that I say and write and it is a pity that I cannot write these words in gold, 'Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey is just one of the family, a good help in need.' Good luck to you." Vally Burke, Adv. Agent, Winter Garden Theatre, New Orleans, La.

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SOCIETY

Mr. Adrian Argenbright of Vanceburg, Ky., is guest of relatives, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Plummer and family.

Miss Anna Ross was host at this week's meeting of All Saints Episcopal Francis Badger Guild, a sewing bee for the benefit of the poor. Refreshments followed work.

At last accounts from her bedside Mrs. A. B. Barlow of Columbus, formerly of this city, was slowly recovering from the effects of a recent surgical operation and hopes soon to be able to return home.

The 18th wedding anniversary of r. and Mrs. E. E. Pettingall, was celebrated with a pretty party at their home on Fifth avenue, when rs. Pettingall entertained the folowing guests delightfully: Mesdames W. W. Donaldson, Jas. A. Maxwell, Philip Uise, J. T. McCormick and Misses Clara Schmitt and Bessie Daehler. A feature of the afternoon's enjoyment was piano and violin music by Misses Schmitt and Daehler. An excellent repast was served by the hostess. As reminders of the anniversary Mr. and Mrs. Pettingall are the possessors of several gifts which are highly prized by the recipients.

A holiday visitor home to this city, Miss Lydia Appel, has resumed her studies at the College of Music.

Little Miss Katharine Feur continues on the road to recovery from illness. Her tutor, Miss Eleanor Wilhelm, is expected home next Tuesday from a holiday visit to her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Campbell Taylor of Buffalo. She left their home Saturday to spend Sunday and Monday at Chillicothe as guest of Miss Hazel Kidschenschlager on the way home.

The late Mr. Harry Errett's brother, Mr. Bert Errett of Kewance, Ill., who is here to attend to business, was a dinner guest Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Altsman.

Mrs. Frank Campbell of 239 West Second, left Saturday for Cincinnati, to visit her sister, Mrs. Joseph Shakespeare.

Mrs. Moses Lehman will be host at the January 12th meeting of the Kaffee Klatch which gave one of their enjoyable evening card parties at Seel's Parlors, with Mesdames Joseph Brown and Samuel Schloss in charge of the details. The first prize for women, a lovely chocolate pot and six chocolate cups was won by Mrs. Fred Strauss in a cut for honors with Mrs. Bettman. The men's favor, won by Mr. A. Schapiro, was a silver mounted clothes brush. As guest favor Miss Gussie Traub, who is visiting Mrs. Samuel Schloss, was presented a beautiful cluster of flowers. Other out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Edelson of Ironton. A fine hot luncheon followed cards and preceded the home-going.

Bigelow W. F. M. S. will meet at the home of Mrs. G. D. Selby on Monday instead of Tuesday afternoon. The program will include a talk by Mrs. Irma Bardin Davis, who with the Rev. Mr. Davis, soon will return to foreign mission fields. Her special theme will be China and Japan.

Item For Women

Marlboro, Mass., June 1, 1910. I can frankly say that Parisian Sage has given me perfect satisfaction, and will highly recommend it as a hair grower and beautifier, and a sure cure for dandruff. I also have recommended it to several people, and it has given wonderful results. —Mrs. G. Barreaux, 26 Main St.

Cynthiana, Ky., June 3, 1910. I have only used two bottles of Parisian Sage, and I find my hair has increased wonderfully in thickness and luxuriance and beauty. The dandruff all disappeared. I was wonderfully surprised, as I have tried many hair restorers, though I have found none that ever has helped my hair except Parisian Sage, so I can say it is worth all of the hair restorers I have ever found, and I will tell many friends about it. Gratefully your friend, Miss M. Clough, Box 212.

Wurster Bros. guarantee Parisian Sage to kill dandruff germs, eradicate dandruff, stop falling hair and itching scalp, or money back. It is the most delightful and refreshing hair dressing in the world, and is not sticky or greasy. Wurster Bros. and druggists everywhere sell it for 50 cents a large bottle. The girl with the Auburn hair is on every package.

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Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Cole's daughter, Mrs. Henning Prentis, was accompanied home to Pittsburg by her sister and niece, Mrs. Alan G. Simpson and baby, Eleanor, and also by her cousin, Miss Lollie Anderson.

Miss Minnie Licht will be host at next Monday evening's meeting of the Mizpah club.

Mrs. Lyda Adams Kinney and daughter, Miss Julia, who have been visiting relatives and friends here have returned home.

On Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Charles Reinhardt, of 1512 Franklin avenue, the Sons of Veterans Auxiliary held the installation of the recently elected officers, mentioned in The Times. One of the Sons of Veterans, Mr. George Carroll, conducted the installation.

Miss Emma Bell of Damarin Block, has as guest her niece, Miss Clara Newton of Cincinnati. Another guest at Miss Bell's home, her niece, Miss Collins, has returned home to Cleveland.

First Presbyterian Women's Aid Society will meet at the home of Miss Emma Bell next Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock in regular session.

The Clio club will meet on next Monday, instead of Friday evening at the home of Miss Henry Heer when officers will be elected folowing a debate, "Are Newspapers Elevating or Debaseing to a Nation" will be the theme.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller returned home to Wheeling, W. Va., leaving Mrs. Miller and children to continue their visit to her parents, Captain and Mrs. Adam Bach of West Fourth.

Mrs. Herbert Shumway who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rice returned home to Columbus, Saturday.

The Progress club will hold the annual election Monday evening preceded by a winter picnic at Women's club parlors.

According to a letter received here Saturday, Dr. A. G. Sellards and daughter, Miss Margaret Sellards have gone from Cincinnati to Louisville, Ky., to consult specialists and from there expect to go to Roswell, N. M., and later to California.

The Woman's Literary club will elect officers next Monday instead of Friday at Woman's club parlors. A social hour will follow business.

The Matron and Maid club will meet next Tuesday at the home of Mrs. J. J. Brushart of Waller street.

The New Century club met in regular session Friday afternoon. The program followed:

Song, club.

Roll call, suggestions of club work.

Vocal solo, Mrs. G. W. Grimes.

"Use and Abuse of Woman's Clubs," Mrs. W. B. G[illegible]

The annual election, resulting as follows, was the main portion of the business session:

President, Mrs. George Grimes.

Vice president, Mrs George Small.

Secretary, Mrs. R. B. Cunningham.

Treasurer, Mrs. Felix Haas.

Executive board, Mesdames W. R. Fee, G. D. Waite, W. D. James.

The next meeting will be held January 20th instead of 27th.

Mrs. Frank Kendall will entertain the Second Street Whist club Tuesday.

Mr. Edward Glockner and guest, Mr. Leo Kimmel of Wayland, N. Y., have returned their studies at St. Mary's Institute at Dayton, at the end of a holiday vacation visit at the home of Mr. Glockner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Glockner of East Second.

The Clover club will meet at the home of the Misses Padan of Offnere street, next Monday evening instead of Tuesday. Officers will be elected. The hosts of the occasion will be Miss Martha Padan and Miss Mabel Moulton.

Mrs. Charles Winters' daughter Mrs. Samuel A. Marting of Charlevoix, Mich., was guest of honor at a party given by her sister, Mrs. Walter N. Marting of Ironton, with her sister, Mrs. Otto Marting to assist in the hospitalities.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Altsman and children, Varner and Elizabeth, have gone to spend Sunday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harvey of Huntington, W. Va., who last week went to housekeeping in a lovely home.

Mrs. Charles Frederick's entertainment of the Saturday Sewing club has been deferred from this week until a later date.

Mrs. Charles Haas and Mrs. Thomas Milbuff have returned from a holiday visit to their sister, Mrs. Jacob Cablish of Maysville, Ky.

While here to attend the Billy Sunday meetings, Mrs. Mary McCoy of St. Paul, Ky., and Mrs. David Miller of South Portsmouth were guests of Mrs. James H. W. Thompson of 615 Offnere street.

Miss Rebecca Sherman of Waits Station, is visiting her relatives, Rev. and Mrs. F. W. Chase and attending Billy Sunday meetings.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Boyd have rented their home on Grant street and have moved to apartments in Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Holbrook's home on Waller street.

Mrs. Henry Heer, superintendent of primary department of the Second Presbyterian S. S., entertained at six o'clock dinner Friday evening the 16 teachers of her department. Plans to help more effectually in the Billy Sunday campaign were discussed.

Mr. Harry Hagen Harvey and bride, formerly Miss Anne Varner, of Portsmouth, who have been guests of Mr. Harvey's parents in Third avenue, since their wedding, have taken up their residence in the pretty dwelling arranged for them in Huntington, and are now at home to their friends at No. 520 Tenth street.—Huntington Advertiser.

The Charlotte, N. C., News, says of a young couple, one of whom Mrs. Rintels, was formerly Miss Carrie Lehman of this city.

"Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Rintels of Boston, spent yesterday in the city, stopping at the Stonewall Hotel, and left this morning for Augusta, Ga., to visit Mrs. Rintel's sister, Mrs. Annie Rintels Lesser. Mr. Rintels is the youngest son of the late Jacob Rintels, one of the most prominent merchants of Charlotte in his day. Mr. Rintels built the elegant residence now the home of Dr. C. G. McManaway. He and his family lived there for years and he died there.

"Mrs. Rintels and children continued to reside at their lovely home for several years. They went to New York to live after the marriage of Miss Bessie Rintels—Mrs. Camp of New York—and Mrs. Rintels and daughter, Miss Jean Rintels, have a pretty home in that city.

"Messrs. Ed and Sidney Rintels went to Boston, Mr. Sidney Rintels engaging in the drug business. He has three stores there. His success has been almost phenomenal.

"Mr. Sidney Rintels left here 14 years ago. He married a pretty and attractive young lady from Portsmouth, Ohio.

"The Charlotte friends of Miss Jean Rintels will be interested to know that her engagement to Mr. Theodore Myers of New York, has been announced, the marriage to take place in the spring."

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The Portsmouth Savings and Loan Company pays 5 per cent. interest on Deposits.

Mrs. Sam Wise will be host at next Thursday afternoon's meeting of the Sorosis Kensington.

Mrs. Maurice Knapp and son, Master John Lewis Knapp, of Chicago, are guests of her mother, Mrs. John W. Lewis, of West Fourth street.

The Buckeye Kensington is added to the list of clubs deferring meetings until after Billy Sunday's revival is at an end.

Mrs. Frank Kendall will entertain the Second Street Whist Club in next Tuesday's regular session.

The S. S. S. S. Club's next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Marie Brushart, next Thursday afternoon.

The Qui Vive Club will meet next Wednesday with Miss Jennie Steahley.

February 9th is the date of the next meeting of Portsmouth Federation of Women's Clubs, when a play will be given by the Altrurian Club. The committee in charge is composed of the following members from the Progress and Altrurian Clubs: Mrs. Flora McClure, Miss Elizabeth Norris, Miss Vesta Stockham, of the Progress Club, and Miss Clarabelle Eason, Miss Stella Rowe, Miss Clara Clark, of the Altrurian Club.

Mr. Hiram Murray has returned from an enjoyable holiday visit to his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Murray, of Allegheny City, Pa.

Mrs. Maurice Haywood has returned to Mt. Vernon Sanitarium, Mt. Vernon, at the end of a visit home, to this city. Her health is gradually improving.

Former Portsmouth residents, Mr. and Mrs. Barry Alger, of Savannah, Ga., have moved to a most desirable six-room flat in a large modern apartment house at No. 813 Drayton street.

Miss Pauline Osko has returned from a delightful visit to her sisters, Mrs. R. R. Wright and Mrs. D. W. Shoemaker, of Peebles, who spent Christmas here.

Miss Anna M. Lacey, of Lexington, Ky., is the guest of Mrs. Frank Black of West Sixth street.

Mrs. Pauline Dittert and daughter, of Buffalo, N. Y., are guests of the former's brother-in-law and sister, Rev. and Mrs. G. H. Freund of this city.

On Saturday afternoon, Mrs. Harry E. Taylor entertained informally with a Kensington followed by luncheon, midst pretty Christmas holiday appointments. The guests were, Mrs. Finis P. Ernest, of Manitou, Colo., Miss Emma Seelbach, of Louisville Ky., guest of Mrs. Guy V. Williams, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. G. V. Thompson and sister, Miss Esther Anne Smith, of New York City, Mrs. Charles Blakemore of Roanoke, Va., Mrs. R. S. Kyle an October bride, Mesdames G. H. Williamson, Frank W. Moulton, Charles D. Scudder, W. S. Bridges, John A. Grimes, Misses Alice Dever, Frances Higgis, Miss Elizabeth Watkins and Miss Loraine Crow, of Cleveland.

The Home League club will meet next Monday afternoon instead of Thursday at Women's club parlors to elect officers.

The Portsmouth Reading club will meet Monday, Jan. 16, at the home of Dr. and Mrs. R. O. LeBaron, instead of with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Schwartz.

According to latest news from her bedside, Mrs. Louis W. Terry of Lexington, Ky., recently submitted to a surgical operation, continues alarmingly ill, with little hope of recovery.

The Holmes club will meet on Jan. 13, at the home of Miss Bertha Brand of East Eighth.

The next meeting of the Young Women's Sewing club will be held at the home of Miss Leona Labold.

To Bury Mrs. Johnson At O!d Illinois Home

Mrs. Constance Lake will entertain the U-Go-I-Go club next Thursday afternoon at her home with her daughter, Mrs. John Wood of East Fourth.

The Home League club will meet next Thursday afternoon. A festal hour will follow the program.

Mrs. Charles Robbins will be host at next Thursday afternoon's meeting of the First Baptist Mission Circle.

Mrs. Robert J. Barry arrived home today from Cincinnati, where she went to attend the funeral of her uncle, the late Rev. W. H. Gilson.

Mrs. H. C. Searcy and daughter, Kathryn, will return home, Sunday, from Evansville, Ill., where Mrs. Searcy accompanied her eldest daughter, Morrill, who has entered the North Western University.

Messrs. John and Harold Rhodes, of East Ninth street, have returned from Ironton, Ohio, where they spent a few days visiting with relatives and friends.

Miss Genevieve Gies, of Kinney street, is reported slightly improved, but there is not much hope for her recovery. The little Miss is ill with tuberculosis.

Concerning the death of Mr. L. E. Johnson's mother, the Roanoke World says:

"Mrs. Eliza Johnson passed away Friday morning at 5 o'clock at the residence of her son, Mr. L. E. Johnson, aged 83 years and 9 months. She was taken ill a week ago and Monday pneumonia made its appearance. Her advanced years made against her recovery, and while she rallied Thursday and knew her family, towards evening she grew weaker and fell asleep without any suffering.

Mrs. Johnson, nee Eliza Brown, was born March 7, 1827 and when a girl moved from New York state to Illinois, where she grew to womanhood. She was married in 1843 to Mr. Spencer Johnson, who died near Aurora, Ill., in 1864. My this marriage were five children, of whom three are living, Mr. L. E. Johnson of Roanoke, Mrs. Levi Barber of Bushnell, Ill., and Mr. Edward G. Johnson of New York City.

Mrs. Johnson was a woman of sterling worth and character and will be greatly missed and mourned by a huge circle of relatives and friends.

The interment will be in the old family cem[illegible] near Aurora, Ill.

The remains of Mrs. Johnson, accompanied by relatives, left Roanoke early Saturday morning, on a special train and will pass through Portsmouth this evening.

Excursions Are Coming

The Wellston Transcript says that excursions will likely be run here from that city during the Billy Sunday meetings and that a large delegation will be down to hear the great evangelist. Rev. and Mrs. W. D. Walden and daughter, Helen, have already attended the meetings.

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A General Cloak Clearance Sale

We have determined on a quick clearance of all Cloaks, Suits and Dresses. No matter what the loss is we will not carry a garment over. **HURY IF YOU WANT THE BEST BEFORE ITS GONE.** Saturday we will make a special effort on **CHILDREN'S CLOAKS.** Every Child's Coat in the store will go at Half and One-Third off price. Colors are red, navy, brown, green and former prices were from $1.98 to $12.50. Just take your choices at One-Half and One-Third off on account we have too many.

SATURDAY WILL BE A GOOD DAY TO PICK

JUNIOR COATS

Sizes 13, 15 and 17. Just to fit the Intermediates. Girls that are hard to fit we have a fine selection yet, to choose from. Prices range from $5.00 to $16.50. All will go at One-Third off.

ALL LADIES' AND MISSES' COATS

in fancy Manuel Mixtures, will go at One-Third off from our former low price.

QUICK CLEARANCE OF LADIES' ONE PIECE DRESSES

We have made just two prices on our entire stock of Wool Dresses. All colors and Black, all Dresses that were from $7.50 to $10 go at $4.98

All Dresses made of Serges, Panama and wide Vale in all colors. Prices range up to $15.00, go at $8.50

A QUICK CLEARANCE ON LADIES' SUITS

We have divided them into two lots at .... $10 and $15

Suits that sold from $15 to $30. Quick clearance on rich Furs. All Muffs and Scarfs will be closed out at one-third off.

SPECIAL GLOVE SALE FOR SATURDAY

25 doz. Ladies' Black Golf Gloves with two clasps. Extra good quarter value for only 15c

50 DOZ. KID GLOVES

Just arrived. These are the Manish effects. Cape Gloves in Brown and Tan. We closed them out of a Importer who retired from business and therefore can guarantee them. They are first class in every respect and the very best Dollar value. On sale Saturday for only 69c

SCHOOL HOSE SALE SATURDAY

Boys' and Girl's Silk foot hose. All sizes. The very best 19c bargain. Value for Saturday only for any size from 6 to 10, 2 pair for 25c

OVER TWO HUNDRED BLACK PETTICOATS

Cut extra full with deep flounce. The very best $1.00 value. Five different styles on sale Saturday only . 69c

BIG SALE OF UNDERWEAR FOR SATURDAY

Ladies' and Children's Underwear to close out all 25c values for only 19c

All 50c underwear go at 39c

A QUICK CLEARANCE ON SWEATER COATS

For Ladies', Misses and Children. All reduced for Saturday. Just one-third off from our former low price, which means less than Half-Price elsewhere. Come and compare.

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MOTHER DIED AS DAUGHTER SAILED AWAY

Miss Mabelle Gilruth of Delaware, accompanied by Bishop Oldham, sailed from New York, Dec. 21th, for Pekin, China, where she will be united in marriage of Mr. W. W. Davis of that place.

Miss Gilruth is the daughter of Rev. Archibald Gilruth, a former pastor of Manly Chapel. She is a niece of Mrs. M. S. Pixley, and her mother, Mrs. Archbald Gilruth, died Tuesday afternoon at Delaware. Mrs. Pixley and son Will attended the funeral.

Red Men Are To Entertain

Wasiota Tribe, No. 126, Improved Order of Red Men of So. Webster, is planning to give a Washington birthday entertainment on Feb. 22 and which will be featured by a drama recalling the colonial days.

Jay Harris Is A Foreman

Jay Harris, a former local shoeworker, now located at Boston, Mass., is in Portsmouth for a few days. He has recently been promoted to foreman of his department in the factory where he is employed.

Visitor Is Very Sick

Mrs. J. D. Haskins of Lynchburg, who is visiting her mother, Mrs. Bailey of East Second street, is seriously sick with heart trouble and little hope is entertained for her recovery.

ORANGE WEEK!

FORTY-FIVE Carloads Coming—Are California's Finest—The "SUNKIST" Kind—ON SALE ALL NEXT WEEK!

Attractive Prices and Special Displays of "SUNKISTS" At All Dealers

Forty-five carloads of famous "Sunkist" oranges—more than 18,000 boxes—are speeding eastward by fast freight, direct from the orange groves of California.

They will be here, on sale at every dealer's next Monday morning. The sale will continue through the week. It will be the biggest affair of its kind in history.

Last year's "Sunkist" Orange Sale was such a huge success, and everybody bought so liberally, that your local dealers were simply swamped with business. They were hardly able to supply the demand. We therefore suggest that you place your order for "Sunkist" oranges as early next week as possible. Then you will be certain of being supplied.

Every orange in every box is sound, tree-ripened and hand-picked—the most luscious, healthful fruit on the market. For "Sunkist" oranges are California's choicest crop.

Five thousand orange growers select their choicest and pack them under the name "Sunkist." Thus every "Sunkist" orange is *perfect*—solid, sweet and full flavored.

In "Sunkist" wrappers you get *tree-ripened, hand-picked* oranges of the most acceptable variety. Every orange is picked by a gloved hand. They are shipped by fast freight, and always reach your table in prime condition. Being *seedless, fibreless and thin-skinned*, there is but very little waste. They are the most economical oranges you can buy. Each one is packed in a germ-proof tissue paper wrapper and bears the label "Sunkist."

All Physicians Advise Oranges

Physicians and food experts advise people to eat more oranges. We are a nation of meat eaters. And in winter, especially, the system gets clogged, causing congestion, colds, fevers, etc. Those who eat fresh wholesome fruit freely, seldom require medical treatment.

Serve Them for Breakfast and in Salads and Desserts

Oranges are the ideal breakfast fruit and "between meals" lunch. For salads, they are indispensable. Orange ices, sherbets, puddings, etc., are very popular and delicious desserts.

"Sunkist" by the Box

"Sunkist" oranges reach you in such perfect condition, fresh from the orange groves, they will keep for weeks. Your dealer can make you a handsome saving if you order a box or half box. They are cheaper than table apples, and the greatest health food.

A Word About "Sunkist" Lemons

Fruit dealers at all times are supplied with "Sunkist" lemons. They are the same superior quality as "Sunkist" oranges. Never thick-skinned or pithy. "Sunkist" lemons are so juicy that two of them equal three of the commonplace kind. They, too, are packed in "Sunkist" wrappers.

Save Your "Sunkist" Wrappers

By saving your "Sunkist" orange and lemon wrappers you can easily secure a full set of genuine Rogers orange spoons, dessert spoons and fruit knives. The patterns shown here are our new 1911 styles, designed exclusively for us. They are as attractive and stylish as money can buy. All are Rogers quality, standard A-No. 1 plate and are fully guaranteed by the maker. No advertising appears on any of our premiums.

Read on the right the description of these valuable premiums and how to get them. (31)

Don't Forget the Date—Week Beginning Monday, Jan. 9

THE CALIFORNIA FRUIT GROWERS' EXCHANGE, 34 Clark Street, CHICAGO, ILL.

"SUNKIST" Premiums

Rogers Orange Spoon Free

The picture shows our new 1911 design, "Sunkist" Orange Spoon, actual size; being a genuine Rogers product and of the latest style. This spoon will be sent you, charges, packing, etc., prepaid, on receipt of 12 "Sunkist" wrappers and 12c. For each additional spoon send 12 "Sunkist" wrappers and 12 cents.

Valuable Dessert Spoon Free

The picture shows our new 1911 design, Dessert Spoon, actual size. It is of the same excellent quality and beautiful design as the orange spoon, but being larger and heavier is more valuable. Sent to you on receipt of 24 "Sunkist" wrappers and 20c additional. For each additional dessert spoon send 24 "Sunkist" wrappers and 20 cents.

This Fruit Knife Free

Our 1911 "Sunkist" Fruit Knife is shown here, actual size. It is made of special tempered steel heavily silver-plated. Fully guaranteed by manufacturers, Wm. Rogers & Son. Sent to you on receipt of 24 "Sunkist" wrappers and 20c. For each additional knife send 24 "Sunkist" wrappers and 20 cents.

Notice!

On all remittances up to 24c please send one-cent stamps, on amounts above 24c, send post office money order, express money order or bank draft. Do not send cash. Make your money order or draft payable to The California Fruit Growers' Exchange, and address your letters to The California Fruit Growers' Exchange, 34 Clark Street, Chicago, Ill.

You can secure these premiums with "Sunkist" orange wrappers, "Sunkist" lemon wrappers, "Red Ball" orange wrappers, or "Red Ball" lemon wrappers. If you will make it a point to buy only "Sunkist" and "Red Ball" oranges and lemons, you will not only get the finest fruits that grow, economically priced, but you will soon have enough wrappers to secure a complete set of the beautiful spoons and knives here shown.

BOODLERS WARNED TO CONFESS SINS

The following notice was published in this weeks' Adams county papers, and serves as a gentle reminder to boodlers:

"That no one may be missed by the many false rumors afloat, we deem it proper to make the following statement: No person who has, or will be indicted, will be notified. The indictments are now locked up, and no one will be permitted to see them, or know who is indicted until the parties have come in and entered their pleas or have been brought in by the sheriff, and those who do not voluntarily come in will be sent for by the sheriff. There are many persons who received money at the last election who have not yet come in. They do not need any notice. Every person who received any money knows the fact, and if he desires to be lenient with the court he will come in at once. If he has not the money with which to pay his fine he will be given a fair chance to arrange it.

It has come to the notice of the Court and the officials that there are some persons who purchased votes who are trying to keep the matter secret, and a few who are holding some names back. Unless those who purchased votes come in, or inform the Court or Prosecutor at once of the fact, they will lay themselves liable to investigation in a few days. The names of many of these persons are known to the Court and officials. We believe in treating all alike, and as a great number of persons have come in and entered their plea to receiving money at the election we want to give ample opportunity for all to do so. If they do not do so within the next few days we will be constrained to use whatever means is necessary to get them before the Court to answer to these charges. We have received a great deal of information from private persons, for which we are duly thankful. Every citizen ought to aid in purifying and cleansing the politics of Adams county, and if you send us information your name will be kept in strictest confidence.

We are truly,
AUSTON Z. BLAIR,
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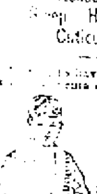
FACE AND HEAD AN AWFUL SIGHT

Eruption Broke Out when 2 Weeks Old—Itched So He Could Not Sleep—Hair All Fell Out—Cuticura Cured Him.



"[illegible] to have you accept this testimonial [illegible] Cuticura did so much for my baby. At the age of two weeks his head began to break out with great sores and by the time he was two months his face and head were an awful sight. I consulted a doctor, who said it was nothing but a light skin disease which the baby would soon get over. But he seemed to get worse so I asked another doctor. His opinion seemed to be the same. They both prescribed medicine that did not do a bit of good. A friend advised me to take him to the hospital, which I did. Two doctors there gave him medicine in a liquid [illegible] him no good. [illegible] every day I would read a testimonial in regard to Cuticura and my wife [illegible] would try it to see if it would [illegible]. I got a box of Cuticura Ointment [illegible] cake of Cuticura Soap and after [illegible] he was entirely cured. Before [illegible] he could not seem to [illegible] his face and head would itch so [illegible] he had all fell out but soon he [illegible] head of hair and his face was perfect. It is now nearly five years since [illegible] and there has been no sign of [illegible] returning. Chas. H. Evans, 41 [illegible], Mass., April 12, 1910."

[illegible] Cuticura Soap and Ointment [illegible] the best [illegible] of the skin and [illegible] the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., [illegible] Mass. [illegible] Book on Care of Skin and Scalp.

They Didn't Use An "Equity"

Oven Exploded.

A gas oven in the basement of the restaurant owned by James Lynch, 1999 Madison road, East Walnut Hills, exploded Tuesday night and started a fire. Lynch extinguished it. The loss is $100.

Could not have happened had they used an "Equity." Ask us why. The Portsmouth Stove and Range Co.

Our semi-annual Clearance Sale means a large reduction in prices on our entire stock of Clothing, Furnishings, etc.
The Haas Clothing Co.
6-2

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bradford are spending the week's end with friends in Cincinnati.

PRAISED HER BREAD, MADE OF MAGNOLIA FLOUR.

To Give Dance Tuesday Night

The Young Men's Social club will give a dance at Kendall's hall next Tuesday night. Dancing will commence promptly at eight o'clock. Wright's Saxaphone orchestra of Columbus has been engaged to furnish the music.

Engineer Is Dead

William C. Saunders of Russell, Ky., a C. & O. engineer, died in a Huntington hospital.

Late Wednesday night he went into delirium and escaping from his ward ran through the halls and out into the street, with several nurses trying vainly to capture him. He was caught by Officer Aitizer and taken back again.

Removed to Infirmary

Charles Henderson, a stranded Mt. Gilead pensioner, whom the city authorities warranted over the infirmary directors, was taken to the infirmary Friday night. An effort will be made to have him admitted to the Soldiers' home.

Every overcoat in our store goes at a price that will sell it.—The Haas Clothing Co. 6-2

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The Woman with an eye for something handsome in Slippers, will take pleasure in seeing this display of choice styles. Patent Kid, Patent Colt, Castor Kid, Suede, Satins in White, Pink and Blue, Dull Kid both plain and beaded.

One and two Straps and Ties.
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The end of the first week of marvelous bargain giving. The magnitude of the offerings can only be judged by visiting the big sale.

While quantities of merchandise has been sold, every gap has been filled, and Monday will be like the first day of the great sale. All winter goods must be cleaned up. We need the shelves and counters for new spring goods.

Ready-to-Wear Department

If we can fit you, you save 1-3 to 1-2 over former prices.
All Suits, while they last, priced at just half.
All Women's Long Coats, priced 1-3 less
All Children's Coats priced at half.
Lot Little tots White Caracul Coats, $2.50 to $3.50 values choice $1.25
Silk Petticoats. All colors, $3.50 value $1.98
Black Imitation Heatherbloom Petticoats 35c
All Sweaters. Women's, Children's and Misses' cut to half.
All Furs priced 1-3 less.
Children's Caps and Bonnets, priced 1-2 to 1-3 less
Grand values in Hosiery.

UNDERWEAR

Winter Underwear for everybody at ruthless reductions.
Union Suits and separate garments 1-4, 1-3 and 1-2 former prices.
All Knit Gloves, 25c qualities .... 17c pr
50c qualities .... 35c pr
One lot of Ladies' Golf Gloves, all colors .... 10c pr
Women's fine Mocha finish Cashmere Gloves, Silk lined, 50c quality .... 25c pr

Billy Sunday Caps

75c values 48c
$1.00 values .... 69 and 75c
One Lot of Neckwear, Ties, Jabots, Collars, etc. 15 to 50c qualities. Choice .... 15 and 10c
Leather Hand Bags, 50c to 75c values. Choice 35c
$1.00 values. Choice 59c
Hand Strap Leather Bags, 50c and 75c qualities. Choice 25c
All 19 inch Fancy Silks, 75c to $1.00 qualities. Choice .... 48c yd
Yard wide fancy Silks, $1.00 and $1.25 qualities. Choice .... 69c yd
Fleeced Flannelettes, 10c values .... 6c yd
Best grades of Dress Ginghams, including new spring patterns, just in. Choice .... 9c yd
Genuine Hope Bleached Muslin .... 8 1-3c yd
Good yard wide Unbleached Muslin .... 5c yd
All Calico .... 5c yd
Fine Madras Cloths printed, 15 to 25c values. Choice only .... 10c yd
62 inch Bleached Table Damask .... 19c yd
Big reductions in all White Goods, Towels, Crashes, Bed Spreads, Blankets and Comforts.
9x12 Room sizes, Ingrain Art Squares, 7.50 value. Choice $3.98

Can't begin to tell you half. The offerings speak louder than words. Come tonight, bring your neighbor and let them share with you this, the greatest and best money saving sale.

THE BRAGDON DRY GOODS CO.

MASONIC TEMPLE, FOURTH AND CHILLICOTHE STREETS. "THE STORE ACCOMMODATING."

YORK CEMENT PLANT IS SOLD SATURDAY

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 7.—(Special.)—Contracts for the purchase of the York Portland Cement Co., of Portsmouth, O., the stock of which was held by many Cincinnatians, by the Empire Portland Cement Company of Chicago, were signed by representatives of the two concerns at a meeting in the office of Vice President Louis E. Miller, of the Union Savings Bank and Trust Co.

While the details have not been made public it is understood it involves the transfer of more than $100,000.

Judge Charley A. Loomis, of Kansas City, Vice President of the Chicago concern, and A. G. Marshall, Chicago, represented the Empire Co., and Ex-Mayor Wells A. Hutchins, of Portsmouth Vice President of the York Company and Judge John C. Milner, of Portsmouth, the York Company.

According to Judge Loomis, the capacity of the Portsmouth plant which is at present 1500 barrels a day, will be doubled, so that the yearly output will be One Million barrels.

Meetings to close up the final details of the transfer were held at the Sinton Hotel Saturday.

The sale of the York cement plant means that it will again be operated and employment given to many men.

Bunch Jones, the former N. & W. pump man, who was badly mangled in an accident some months ago, fears that he will never be able to do any work again.

CORN CONTEST.

OUR CORN CONTEST CLOSES JANUARY 15TH. ALL ENTRIES MUST BE IN ON ABOVE DATE.—THE PORTSMOUTH BANKING COMPANY.

D. S. & W tf

Small Fire Friday

A defective flue was the cause of a small blaze at the home of Daniel Shakespeare at No. 226 West Third street late Friday evening. The Seventh street department responded to the alarm and succeeded in putting out the fire with chemicals. The damage amounted to about $5.

Vinton Co. Man Was Injured

Hamden, Jan. 7.—In jumping from a moving passenger train at Creton, on the Hocking Valley railroad, A. B. Kirkendall, probate judge of Vinton county, suffered severe injuries about the head and shoulders. He was alighting after the train had pulled out from the station.

LAME BACK

Nothing to it 10 Minutes After Rubbing on Begy's Mustarine.

Wurster Bros. sell a box of Mustarine for 25 cents. It's the new discovery that will do all the good things that the Rinkenwalt mustard plaster does and leaves a clean skin besides.

Just rub it on; it's pleasant, clean and gives instant relief in toothache, headache, sore throat, coughs, pain in chest or back and neuralgia.

It's guaranteed to do as advertised by Wurster Bros., or money back.

Begy's Mustarine is a wonder worker in rheumatism, pleurisy, stiff joints and muscles, and it doesn't blister the skin. It's better than any liniment. Mail orders filled by J. A. Begy Co., Rochester, N. Y.

Sunday's Boats.

Greenland for Pomeroy, 10 a. m.
Tacoma for Cincinnati at noon.

The crest of the rise in the Ohio has passed, and the river is falling at all points from Pittsburg to below Cincinnati, though the water is dropping slowly on account of the moderation in the weather and the thaw which followed. A stage of even 32.0 feet was marked up on the local gauge Saturday at 3 p. m.

The rise furnished fine boating water and gave a number of towboats an opportunity to get on their way with tows of coal. Several towboats of the Pittsburg fleet passed Portsmouth Saturday, while others are now enroute, and still others from the Kanawha river are due Monday.

Gallipolis, O., Jan. 7.—The second Pittsburg coal fleet, containing approximately 6,000,000 bushels, for Memphis and New Orleans, passed here Friday. Seventeen coal boats have been sunk on the present run.

Shoe Factory Was Burned

Des Moines, Iowa, Jan. 7.—The factory of Bentley & Olmstead, shoe manufacturers, burned to the ground late yesterday. Loss $100,000.

Cropper Acts As Desk Man

Officer Todd Cropper is still under the weather, and therefore acting as desk man at police headquarters. He has filled the place with general satisfaction.

The firm of Sommer Bros., which was composed of George and Leo Sommer, having admitted into the partnership their brothers Chas. A. and Aloysius. The style of the new firm will be Sommer Bros., same as heretofore. Any firms or persons to whom we are indebted please render statement and we will liquidate the account at once. To those owing the old firm in order that we may close our books, we kindly request prompt payment.

We wish to thank our many friends and patrons for the patronage of the old firm in the past, and trust we will merit your continued patronage in the future.

We assure you of the same courteous treatment, honest and square dealing in the future as in the past.

Wishing one and all a happy and prosperous New Year.

Truly yours,
SOMMER BROS.
George, Leo, Chas. A. and Aloysius Sommer.

Stricken In An Auto

Circleville, O., Jan. 7.—W. L. Krincend, aged 49, city treasurer, and a druggist, was stricken with apoplexy while in an auto enroute on his way to Columbus Friday morning. He was brought back to Circleville and four hours later he died.

Vestibule At Post Office

Sealed bids were received here Saturday by Postmaster Charles E. Hard for a new vestibule to be erected over the rear mailing platform at the postoffice. It will not be known until Monday to whom the contract for the work will be awarded.

Work has been resumed on the new High School building.

COMMITTEES OUTLINE WORK

The finance committee of city council, the various city department heads and other officials met at City Auditor William Gablemann's office Friday evening, outlining appropriations for the next six months. Satisfactory allowances were made for running both the service and safety departments. The latter was allowed a larger sum than before, because of the increased expense that will be incurred in operating an additional fire company.

Trio Coming To Majestic

There will be something doing at the Majestic the first half of next week, when the Lubochn Trio, Italian street singers, make their initial bow before the Portsmouth public. All this week they have been making 'em laugh and cry at the Robinson theater in Cincinnati, where they were the big features on the bill.

GREAT GROWTH MADE BY BANK IN TEN YEARS

The Security Savings Bank has been in business seven years. On Wednesday, January 4th it reached this full period.

In this time this institution has built up a most satisfactory business, having many thousand depositors in its different departments, doing a banking business in all its different branches.

During this time it has regularly paid interest every four months to depositors in its savings department, these different payments aggregating the sum of near $50,000.

One reason for the popularity of this bank, is the fact, that its method is clear, clean cut and readily understood.

There have been regular dividends semi-annually to stockholders, in addition to which there has been earned and set aside a surplus fund of $50,000.

The officers and directors are men of high standing in this community, who give the time necessary to know the bank is conducted along absolutely safe lines, and all in all, there has been no Portsmouth bank that has had quite so rapid a growth as the Security.

The capital and surplus is now $100,000.

Total resources $900,000.

Our semi-annual Clearance Sale means a large reduction in prices on our entire stock of Clothing, Furnishings, etc.

The Haas Clothing Co.

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Waverly Firm Has Assigned

On Tuesday afternoon, the Shrader Bros., William and Jas., doing a grocery and meat business at Waverly, made an assignment to their brother in law, Attorney C. M. Caldwell.—The Co. Republican.

To Study the Ohio River

C. W. Ensott, a Chicago engineer, arrived in Portsmouth Friday night. He is collecting data on the river systems of the United States. He will, while here, study the causes for the high water in the city [illegible]

To Reduce Expenses Of Sheriffs Office

County Commissioners Brown and Kuhner were in session Saturday with Prosecuting Attorney Small discussing the matter of the sheriff's general expenses, which have to be borne by the county, independent of his regular salary, and other matters connected with the office.

Mr. Small took the matter under advisement for a few days, and will report at a subsequent meeting of the board. It is probable that the expense will be curtailed to some extent, as the expenses of that office have been large for many years.

Stone Plant Starts Up

Waller Bros.' stone plant at McDermott resumed operations Saturday after an extended shutdown. A force of men are expected from New Albany, Ind., week to install some additional machinery in the plant.

TOO LATE TO SECURE FUNDS

If the Gallia pike residents have aspirations of having their roadway paved next summer by the state highway commission, they will have to suffer disappointment, for they have let the opportunity glide by without consideration at the proper time. Petitions asking for the improvement must be filed with the state highway commission on or before the first of the year, and as that time is now past, there is little hope of securing the improvement this season. The county commissioners on January 1st made application for the funds for repair purposes, and if any money is secured it will have to be used for that purpose.

Carrier Is Wanted

The postoffice authorities are looking for a carrier to take the charge of the mail on the Portsmouth and Pond Run route. The four-year contract of Henry Shields expires this month and bids on the work will be received up to January 10. At present the position is paying $950.68 a year. The route is ten miles in length and is covered six times a week.

YOUNG.

Miss Dessie Moore and Cain Armstrong attended the dance at Barden Friday night.

The Rev. Wolf, a school teacher, preached here Saturday night.

The Union prayer meeting held here Sunday night in which all the Christians and well wishers of good morals were invited failed to interest any only those who are always in attendance.

Peter Bending of Holcomb City, moved to Gwinn Wednesday. We were sorry to lose so good a family.

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The Union Sunday school here reorganized Lord's Day and elected J. F. Moore, superintendent; Geo. Madden, assistant superintendent, Miss Sylva Moore, secretary, Geo. Chandlers, treasurer, Miss Ruby White, organist; Mrs. J. F. Thompson, assistant treasurer and organist, and Miss Esta Hoffer, librarian.

Dr. Barden was again called in attendance on Mrs. Anna Hoffer who has not been able to be up for the last eight weeks.

Cain Armstrong and Frank Medley were at a dance given at Mr. Bolinger's at Barden Hotel Tuesday night.

Fortune Telling

Does not take into consideration the one essential to woman's happiness—womanly health.

The woman who neglects her health is neglecting the very foundation of all she hopes for. For without health love loses its lustre and life is but cross.

Womanly health when lost or on the wane may generally be regained by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

This Prescription has, for over 40 years, been curing delicate, weak, run-down women, by the hundreds of thousands and this too in the privacy of their homes without their having to submit to indelicate questionings and offensive repugnant examinations.

Sick women are invited to consult Dr. Pierce by letter free. All correspondence held as sacredly confidential. Address World's Dispensary Medical Association, R. V. Pierce, M. D., President, Buffalo, N. Y.

Dr. Pierce's Great Family Doctor Book, The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, newly revised up-to-date edition—1008 pages, answers at *Home Logical* hosts of delicate questions which every woman, single or married, ought to know about. *Sent free*, in plain wrapper to any address on receipt of 21 one cent stamps to cover mailing only, or in cloth binding for 31 stamps.

"FLETCHERISM"

The habit of chewing one's food until it becomes almost liquified and swallowed involuntarily, and eating certain foods at certain times of the day is called "Fletcherism" after a man named Fletcher, who advocates this method as a remedy for indigestion and stomach troubles. While one may get from this system the maximum amount of strength from the minimum amount of food, it is a question as to what extent this principle of living can be applied to the human race as a whole. It is an old and true saying, "What is one man's meat is another man's poison."

There is one thing sure, however, much less distress and much more assimilation of the body-building elements contained in every day food would be experienced by people with poor or impaired digestion if they would only believe what we tell them about Vinol.

There is no mystery about it, or misrepresentation. Vinol simply contains the necessary elements needed to re-establish a normal condition of the digestive system. There is no need of going into the scientific reasons why—it simply does it, that is all.

Thousands of genuine testimonials from reliable people prove this claim, and to further support the fact and prove our faith in what we say, we unhesitatingly declare that any one who will buy a bottle of Vinol for stomach disorder and malassimilation, will have their money returned without question if they are not satisfied that it has done them good. Frank Amann, Portsmouth, Ohio.

SAY PROHIBITION NOT A SUCCESS

Colorado Springs, Colo., Jan 7.—After nearly two years' experience with the local option law, Colorado Springs, noted throughout the country as a tourist resort, has risen against prohibition, and at a mass meeting attended by some 400 representative business men, resolutions were adopted declaring for a return to the former system of licensing drug stores and hotels to sell liquor in certain quantities.

Among those advocating a return to the license system at the meeting were several who were among the leaders in the dry campaign two years ago.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundations of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Takes Job As Brakeman

Tom Wills of this city has taken a job as brakeman on the Portsmouth Branch B. & O. S.-W. and will begin work at once. He is the youngest brother of Andrew G. Wills, who is now one of the conductors on the Portsmouth Branch.—Jackson Herald.

Mrs. T. C. Lewis and three children of Portsmouth, were here to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anselm Matthews. They returned home the first of the week, says the Jackson Herald.

Circus Man Cashes In

Columbus, O., Jan. 7.—Harry Tarr, 23, business manager of Dr. Sells-Forepaugh circus and brother-in-law of Harry Gowdy a member of the New York National League Baseball team, died here yesterday afternoon of diabetes.

Two children of Charles Hefner, of McConnell avenue, are ill with measles. Mr. Hefner's daughter, Blanche, who fractured a leg twice last fall, is again able to be up and about.

Our semi-annual Clearance Sale means a large reduction in prices on our entire stock of Clothing, Furnishings, etc.

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MARRIED AT GREENUP

Miss Jennie Lyons and John A. Lyons, a bright and handsome young couple of Peebles, Ohio, arrived here on No. 6, Wednesday, and were shortly afterwards made one matrimonially, by the Rev. C. B. Plummer, at the Clerk's office, says the Greenup Republican.

They were accompanied by the bride's mother. The bride and groom were cousins.

THE MARKETS

Chicago, Jan. 7.—Since the last report the grain situation has grown to be one that is pretty hard to fathom. One day we get reports very optimistic and the next equally as pesimistic. The traders on the Board are all at sea. The slightest opportunity that offers for a bulge is taken advantage of, and also the reverse.

Wheat in the last few days has been looked upon as a fairly good buy at the advance prices, and the Bulls seems to have the best of it at this writing. The Bears, however, are claiming that the cause of the little flurry that has taken place in the last few days both in wheat and corn is caused by the unsettled weather, which has prevented the usual January deliveries, and the Bears surely have a proof of this by the receipts at the different Terminal markets, which show a very noticeable falling off.

It is unquestionably a weather market, if we have anything like good weather in the next ten days, there is no question as to large deliveries being made, which undoubtedly will effect the markets, as all cereals are too high for export.

The market closed today at the quotations named.

OPENING

Chicago, Jan. 7.—Wheat, May, 100 ¼ to 100; July, 95 ⅞ to 95; Sept., 94 ¼.

Corn, May, 49 ⅜ to 49 ⅜ and ½; July, 50 ⅛ to 50 ¼; Sept., 51.

Oats, May, 34 ⅜ and ½ to 34 ⅜; July, 34 ⅜.

CLOSE

Chicago, Jan. 7.—Wheat, May, 100 ⅜; July, 96; Sept., 94 ½.

Corn, May, 49 ¾; July, 50 ½; Sept., 51 ⅜.

Oats, May, 34 ⅝; July, 34; Sept., 33 ¾.

Live Stock Market.
(By United Press.)

Chicago, Jan. 7.—Hogs, receipts 12,000 head; market 5c to 10c higher; mixed $7.85 to $8.20; good $7.85 to $8.20; light $7.55 to $8.20; pigs $7.60 to $8.15.

Cattle, receipts 4000 head; the market steady; beeves $4.65 to $7; cows and heifers $3.60 to $6.30; stockers and feeders $3.75 to $5.80; calves $7.00 to $9.25.

Sheep and Lambs, receipts 2000 head; market steady; sheep $2.60 to $4.50; lambs $4.75 to $6.55.

Pittsburg, Jan. 7.—Cattle, receipts light; market steady.

Sheep and lambs, receipts are light; market steady.

Hogs, receipts 50 double decks; market active; prime $8.30 to $8.35; medium $8.40; heavy yorkers $8.40; light yorkers $8.55 to $8.60; pigs $8.60 to $8.70.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

Adolph Brunner Friday butchered two 16-months-old hogs that weighed 768 pounds.

Bowlers May Get To Big Tourney

Fred N. Tynes, of the Columbia theatre and J. F. Potts, of the Old Orpheum theatre, have come to the assistance of the team of bowlers who by virtue of their skill have earned the right to represent Portsmouth at the National Tournament to be held at St. Louis during January and February. These two men have agreed to give the bowlers a certain percentage of the receipts during the entire week of January 15-21. The bowlers will sell tickets at 10 cents each, and they will be good for any one performance during that time. The boys hope in this way to realize a handsome sum as it will cost in the neighborhood of $200 to pay the expenses which the Peerless league has agreed to stand. The team, as it now looks, will consist of the following players: Harry Schreiber, Chas. Malavazos, Walter Bittner, Bud Walters, Will Lindsey and James Wanless. If enough funds are raised, the league will send its efficient secretary, George Wilhelm, the fastest wire in the league.

Hayden Bush, who has been occupying the W. R. Sprague property, recently purchased by R. D. York, will shortly move to a house owned by Mayor H. C. Searcy, on Offnere street.

The members of the Alhambra club are having their quarters in the Washington Hotel annex thoroughly overhauled. The rooms are being painted and papered and when the improvement is completed the club will have as nice quarters as there are in the city.

The cutters at the Tenth street Irving Drew factory, will work but five days each week for the next few weeks. They will be off all day Saturdays, owing to the fact that they are far ahead of all other departments.

Worst Colds Break Easily

Nothing else that you can take will break your cold or end grippe so promptly as a dose of Pape's Cold Compound every two hours until three consecutive doses are taken.

The most miserable neuralgia pains, headache, dullness, head and nose stuffed up, feverishness, sneezing, running of the nose, sore throat, mucous catarrhal discharges, soreness, stiffness, rheumatism pains and other distress begin to leave after the very first dose.

Pape's Cold Compound is the result of three years' research at a cost of more than fifty thousand dollars, and contains no quinine, which we have conclusively demonstrated is not effective in the treatment of colds or grippe.

Take this harmless Compound as directed, with the knowledge that there is no other medicine made anywhere else in the world, which will cure your cold or end Grippe misery as promptly and without any other assistance or bad after effects as a 25-cent package of Pape's Cold Compound, which any druggist in the world can supply.

School House Shot to Pieces

The school house at Load, Greenup county, Ky., was the target of some Wild Bill youths of the vicinity and 80 holes were shot in the building.

Miss Cora Dale, clerk in the office of the state board of agriculture, who lost both legs in a street car accident in Columbus, June 4th, last, has secured artificial limbs and is able to walk nicely. She was given a large sum by the Columbus street railway.

Suing For Divorce

Lucy Snead claims that her husband, James Snead, whom she married on September 2, 1897, has been willfully absent from her for the past three years and has asked common pleas court to annul the marriage decree. The parties have no children.

Holcomb and Millar are her attorneys.

Petition Is Amended

An amended petition in the case of William Frazel against Anna A. and Charles Frazel and E. J. Daehler and Arthur Bannon has been filed by Attorney Holcomb and Millar in which it is alleged that Mr. Strender attempted to defraud the plaintiff by deeding his property at Third and North Waller streets to his wife in order to keep it being held as surety against an $800 note held by the plaintiff against Mr. Strender. He asks that the deed be set aside. Daehler and Bannon are made parties defendant by reason of them holding some interest in the property.

ASTHMA CATARRH CURED

Expert Medical Scientists Announce Startling Results Obtained by Senpine.

New York.—Thousands are taking advantage of the generous offer made by The Woodworth Co., 181 Broadway, New York City, suggesting an experimental package of Senpine, the great discovery for Asthma, Hay Fever, Bronchitis, and Catarrh, which is mailed free of charge to all who write for it. It is curing thousands of the most stubborn cases. It makes no difference how long you have been suffering or how severe the climate conditions are where you live, Senpine will cure you.

If you have experimented with other treatments and have failed to find a cure do not be discouraged but send for a trial of this wonderful truly meritous remedy which is a scientific compound discovered by a Professor of Vienna University, and is being recommended by thousands.

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A rare old whiskey—the finest stock we have ever put out at these wonderfully low prices. It is double copper distilled whiskey—absolutely pure. It has the imprisoned sunshine of the ripe grain from which it was made and the flavor that only the highest art of the distiller can produce. Aged in Government Bonded Warehouse in charred oak casks to produce the smooth, mellow flavor and healthful tonic properties that none but the finest of pure whiskies possess. Excellent for medicinal purposes.

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The age and quality are guaranteed by us and it is sold with the understanding that money will be refunded if on test you do not find it the best whiskey, everything considered, you ever drank. The name Detrick stands for good, honest, well made whiskey. Every one who has tasted Detrick's quality is our reference. Buy whiskey direct from the Detrick Distillery if you want cost price and full value for your money.

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HIGH SCHOOL NIGHT PACKS TABERNACLE, BILLY SUNDAY DELIVERS GREAT SERMON

Evangelist Greeted With Enthusiastic Yells By Students

7 THOUSAND SAID TO HAVE BEEN THERE

(By F. W. Sheridan.)

Jammed in layers, standing space sardined from pulpit to exit and from choir loft to the bunting covered rafters, a pulsating public to the number of over 7000 listeners applauded and amen-ed the sayings of an electric current on "Forces That Win" as it zigzagged its way from the mouth of that animated, earnest character, Rev. William A. Sunday, Friday night, burning its way into the hearts and minds of his hearers like a voice from on high.

A sea of set faces watched that 145 pounds of dynamite as it exploded first on one side of the platform and then on the other. The huge throng laughed at his jests, shrank from his thrusts and was sobered by his truths.

A crying baby and its mother were the only two people who left that densely packed auditorium during Mr. Sunday's address—for address it was—no surely not a sermon from a biblical standpoint. And yet, the whole tenor of his one hour's effort was to have his hearers gaze upon an ideal, painted with words so convincing that it will remain on the memory films so long as life lasts.

Mr. Sunday says he never saw a more representative crowd. The people were there from suckling babes to rheumatic grandfathers and every age between. All classes were represented and he complimented Portsmouth upon her manhood and womanhood, not forgetting to toss a sweet scented bouquet to the High school girls and boys of the Peerless City, New Boston, Sciotoville and Wheelersburg. For they were there with their rose-red cheeks and their High school yells. The cheeks they kept, the yells they gave out and the rubberoid on the snow covered sheeting fairly stretched itself as those lusty lunged boys and girls hit 'em up in unison and sang.

From the press stand it was impossible to distinguish faces in the rear of the big tabernacle. Heads looked no bigger than Roman Beauty apples so small in fact that they appeared rifle proof. But Sunday got to 'em and gave them his message with equal force to those who got it on the first

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Sunday To Speak At Cincinnati

Rev. Sunday stated Friday evening, that he would go to Cincinnati during the progress of the Portsmouth revival for a Monday night's address in Central Music Hall. From there he will go to Norwood and look the place over before fully determining whether or not he would hold a revival there. The delegation of ministers and laymen from Norwood who arrived here, Friday afternoon, occupied prominent seats during Friday night's service and led in the cheers and hand-clapping. They returned home Saturday with the hope they had made a favorable impression on Mr. Sunday and that he will decide to give them a meeting.

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row of seats. He was in splendid voice—he had to be or much of his energy would have been wasted.

When Mr. Sunday stepped upon the platform, it seemed as though the entire middle section arose and the High school boys and girls of this city standing on their seats, their blushing faces making a subject for any artist, and led by the deep chested, dare devil fullback Dee Gardner greeted the evangelist with the following yell:

"What's the matter with Sunday?
He's all right:
Who's all right? Sunday!
He's a looloo! He's a cuckoo!
He gets there every time,
Let's all evoke the facial ripple
Ho! ha! ha! ha! Sunday!

The yell was infectious—it was taken up by men and women who haven't been inside a school house for fifty years or more and they at once became young again and fairly cracked their panting lungs with their shouts of hallelujah!

And then away over to the east, fifty or more of the students from the New Boston schools vied with each other in giving their class yell. The noise they made sounded like a crack of a 22 pistol compared to the cannon ball roar of the local schools, but they made up in enthusiasm what they lacked in vocal power and got a hand that gladdened their budding hearts. Sciotoville, noted for shyness, simply bowed respects to the throng and didn't pose long enough for a snap shot—they weren't used to such big doings but will probably get over it by the next time they come.

Rody, the popular chorister, was given a duplicate of the college yell and was deeply touched by the manifestation. How could a man of Rody's splendid physique, good looks and bright intellect expect anything else!

The collection having been taken ($182) Mr. Sunday jumped into his address like a game cock in the pit. He threw the clutch into high gear and away he went like a streak of light. He told what builded character and what tore it down, he pointed out the stuff of which heroes are moulded and picked to tatters the component parts of a coward; he held up for inspection the life of a Lincoln and quickly framed the worthless career of a Czosgolz; he snapped a Sampson in action, a Napoleon in battle, a Byron in literature and a Roosevelt in politics. His address was one that would have passed muster on a Chautauqua platform, and the young people who were present got some distilled truth that should prove valuable to them in the battles they soon are to fight in the broad arena of life.

He stated in his preliminary remarks that he was speaking to the future through the long distance telephone. If the yells of the boys and girls give some of you old saints cold feet, I am glad of it," he said. He was interrupted right then and there by this:

Chikee! Chikee! Chika, ha, ha!
Portsmouth High School, rah. rah, rah!
Portsmouth High, Portsmouth Low,
Portsmouth High School, Ohio!

It was a picture to watch the earnest faces of those boys and girls as Mr. Sunday pictured to them the life of Abe Lincoln, whom the world did its best to hide, but who chopped his way from an obscure log cabin to the mahogany chair of the White House. His story of the early struggles of the great emancipator was a masterpiece—told in Mr. Sunday's exclusive and copyrighted way.

Sunday had that vast assemblage where he wanted 'em. Those who flanked the broad aisles on the east, north and south rammed their feet deep into the saw dust to get a firmer toe-hold on their places. Those in the seats grabbed hold of the rough pine boards for fear some one would attempt to dislodge them. When Sunday was reaching a climax it was so quiet you could hear a pin drop as it lost itself in the shavings on the dirt floor! He pointed out the course of life's Marathon and accompanied the runners as they struggled cross to teh tape line, winners. His address was an inspiration to the young and helpful to the old, and is given in full below:

FRANCIS MILLER

... of Bible Training class, ... announced Friday that ... would hold a meeting ... High school students at ... Christian church next Wednesday at 12:30 p. m.

Evening Sermon

At the time of President McKinley's funeral, for five minutes everything stood still. Every locomotive wheel, every piece of machinery was silent. The farmer stood by his plow with uncovered head, the banker paused beside his money uncounted, the physician ceased to diagnose his cases, the lawyer rested from the examination of his briefs and the search for precedences, the student closed his books, the merchant stopped measuring the cloth—all business and commerce were suspended and we stood with bowed heads to honor the memory of the man who poured out his life to make us better people, whom we all irrespective of creed or color loved.

We did all of this because the nation wished to pay tribute to character. We wished to show that the American people valued character above gold.

Allowing that there were 75,000,000 people in our country at that time, and each one paused at his work for five minutes, it means that the people of America gave 112 years, 9 months and 24 days of time as a tribute to Christian character. I'm glad we did it. It was a great thing to do as a nation. It is one of the things every patriotic man remembers with pride. There are many things in our lives we wish to forget, but this one day we wish to remember always.

Believes In Holidays

It's a great thing to have a Fourth of July, when we can uncork our enthusiasm and yell like Comanche Indians and realize that we are living in the greatest nation that man's eye ever saw or God's hand ever made; it's a great thing to have Labor day, when the man who toils can have a holiday of his own; it's a great thing to have Easter, to celebrate the time when the Son of Man arose in conquering majesty; it's a great thing to have Thanksgiving, when we sit around our sumptuously laden tables and recall the fact that as a nation we have never gone to bed hungry. America can feed the world. I pay tribute to the man with the dinner bucket, with the bundles of muscle that knot like balls of steel. All these are days of precious memories, days that make the nation strong and great—days that make us better men and women.

False ideals are a stumbling block. If all the fish eggs were to hatch and thrive the rivers would be eternally damned—with fish. If all the medical spawn were to become doctors all the old skull and crossbones would pull their bird whiskers and sing in great chorus, "We Gather Them In. We Gather Them In." Today the honest plowman is a better man and a better citizen than hordes of the miserable Shylocks of finance who play and gamble with the wealth which the plowman has raised. A woman with a shining face, closing the eyes of the dead, doing deeds of kindness in homes of squalor and tears and distress is better than a thousand of the miserable devotees of society. A traveling man going up and down the land and keeping the wheels of business moving honestly is better than scores of men who are basking in the limelight of the world today.

Education Means Success.

Ignorance is a great barrier to advancement. Get all the education you can. Bulk is big, but brain is mighty. An electric motor can do more work than a 60-foot windmill. You can measure bulk by scales, but the measure of a noble man of matchless morals is an impossibility.

The farmer has learned the lesson of rotation of crops and of feeding his produce to cattle and marketing the cattle. We have got to learn that it is a million times better to feed books than booze, colleges than brothels. That Bibles are better than beer and virtue is better than vice. Get in the game and half fight the battle. You're a big jackass to vote for the saloon—grogshop and other like institutions. I'll stick it into you, too, you old son of perdition. Get an education if you have to live on Quaker oats and sorghum molasses to do it. It will pay better to raise decent men than drunken sots, virtuous girls than vile harlots. And any influence which helps to bring this about ought to be helped and not sneered at.

Talks About Gulliver

I have read something of a man who put to sea and was shipwrecked on a land where the people were only six inches high. He was the biggest those people have ever seen and when he wanted to go out for a stroll had to notify the mayor so he could send out the police and warn the people to look out for the giant, and as he walked he had to keep from swinging his hands for fear he would knock over a skyscraper or wreck a funeral procession; and he had to be careful not to put his foot down on a labor parade and blot it out.

And he put to sea again. This time he was wrecked on a land where everything was big. Here was a race of giants 50 feet high. He was the smallest thing that they had ever seen and he created a sensation on the island. He started to skidding, but a man took two steps and put his hand on him, stuck him in his coat pocket and took him home as a plaything for his daughter. She was a young thing nine years old and 22 feet high. She took the little man in her lap, played with his hair and his whisker then put him in a cage and dangled the cage from her chatelaine belt. When I imagine myself in that man's place when he was in the little country, how chesty I feel, but when I imagine I am he in the country where everything is big, I feel decidedly insignificant. How great or how small you are depends largely on where you are.

People Feel Their Littleness

Squire Jones is Squire Jones back in the little rube town, but take him to Pittsburg or Cleveland and let him rubber at the crowds and strain his neck gazing at the tall buildings and the squire is all squeezed out of him, and he's only a very ordinary brand of Jones and hardly anything left of him.

Whether you are big or little depends largely on where you are. The man who prays is bigger than the little warts who curse and swear. The man who believes in God is a giant compared with the little, weasel eyed infidels. The man who sits at home with his wife and the babies is bigger than the one who sits in a booze joint. The man who walks home sober is bigger than the man who staggers and spews into his wife's arms. The woman who lives a life of virtue is far bigger than the one who sells her virtue for money in a red light district.

How Girls Grow and Learn.

When a girl is 17 and her mamma presents her to a man she says, "Mamma, who is he?" At 27, she says "Maw, what is he?" At 36 she says, "Maw, for God's sake where is he?"

Take it from Bill, girls, that it is better to be single than to be buckled up to some lecherous old booze guzzling jug handler.

Not to grow in this land today is not to make use of your opportunities. The immigrant came here because he was tired of being a nonentity in his home country and wanted to be a king here. It's what makes people go west.

Not to grow when you have the opportunity is to bring on yourself the contempt of everybody else. A midget in body can be made a financial profit in a dime museum, but a midget in character and morals is not useful anywhere. It is nothing but a carbuncle on the neck of the body politic. The humility that wants to remain simply because it is easier to lie in a hammock and sip lemonade and say, "My, isn't it hot?" is vastly different from the magnificent manhood that drives its sword to the hilt into the putrefying sores that rot and curse our land.

Write your life in italics. God will help you to be something more than a cipher. He will help you to leave something more in the world when you die than an epitaph on a tombstone.

Puffed Up And the People.

Somewhere I have read the story of a grasshopper on a sunflower. When he was on that sunflower he was big, oh, so big. He thought that when he jumped down to the ground he would jar the globe. But just as he jumped there was an old turkey gobbler near by. An old hen came up and said to the gobbler, "Did you see a fat young grasshopper pass that way?" and the gobbler gulped and said, "He didn't pass, he stopped."

How many little people we have today and yet we have the greatest land and the greatest opportunities the world has ever known. Unrest is far better than content. Nature clamors to grow. The desire to do something, to advance is what holds the world advance. You can't look up to a runt in character unless you're married to him and every time you do it's under protest. The only thing in the Bible I can compare him to is the man who hid his talents in a napkin.

It reminds me of the story of the wife's dream. She told her husband she had a dream and they were selling husbands at from $200 to $10,000.

Her husband got chesty and said: "Well, Mary, I suppose the $10,000 beauties were like me, were they not?"

And she said: "Why you old lobster, they were selling husbands like you three bunches for a nickel."

More Need of Davids

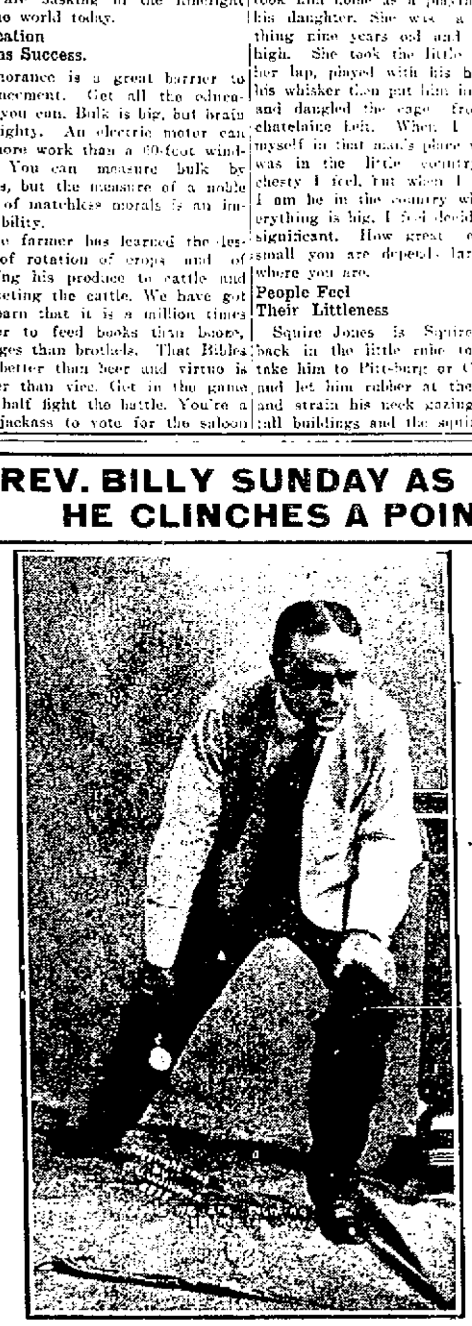
Now there was David. He had the right spirit. God said to David, "You are a man after my own heart." He was not a man of useless humility. The humility that wants to remain little because it's so much work and effort to be great. There are not enough men in the world today who are ready to fight for the right and against the wrong. The world wants men who are ready to go out and fight, to be made bullet meat in the cause of better homes, purer politics, better morals. And we have got to feel the need of this desire to be something and to do something. We have got to have an appetite for it, a desire for it.

You have got to want to improve like a miser wants money, like a politician wants office, like a sow wants slop.

Must Have Definite Aim.

Have a definite aim. Some men don't know whether God wants them to be a college professor or an auctioneer, and they simply live because they are married to a woman who has gift and common sense enough to take in washing and earn bread and butter for her little ones, while he knocks the collar off a mug of booze, whistles and damns and settles all the monetary questions of the day.

REV. BILLY SUNDAY AS HE CLINCHES A POINT



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Mr. Sunday Will Not Go To Ironton

Rev. Sunday stated Friday that he would not go to Ironton, Monday, but would send three of his stalwart workers instead, namely Rodeheaver, Ackley and Honeywell. They, he said, would give Ironton something to think about for days to come. Two of Mr. Sunday's Monday dates are already taken, for he is to speak in Columbus and Cincinnati, and the Ironton assignment would add too heavy a load to his burdens.

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May Send Delegation From Waterloo, Iowa

Chorister Rodeheaver announced Friday that he had received word that it was quite likely a delegation of the personal workers of Waterloo, Ia., would visit Portsmouth during the progress of the Sunday revival. He stated that they wanted to see how other towns treated Mr. Sunday, and in order to get a correct impression they had decided to get in on the ground floor. The date of their visit will be announced later.

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SUBSCRIPTIONS.

The Times man will remain at the reporter's desk, on the platform, for ten minutes after the meetings close and will there receive subscriptions for the term of the meetings, at 50 cents.

A large number of extra copies of the paper were printed and orders to begin with the first date of the meetings can yet be filled to a limited extent.

Those who come first will be first served.

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SUNDAYISMS

The man who sits in a grog shop hittin' booze, isn't as big as the man who is at home with his wife and children.

You are large or you are small; it all depends upon where you are.

The fellow who plays second fiddle will never lead the orchestra.

I pity some women who are compelled to look into the face of some old lobsters and call them husbands.

God likes to see a man go through opposition for a touchdown.

The devil has a teacher in every boy who curses.

If you find a man on the top of a hill, he didn't alight there, he climbed there.

When a hornet hits you on the end of the nose you feel like you're been hit with an automobile driven by your mother-in-law.

The newspapers of this day are far better colleges than Abraham Lincoln had.

Education is knowing what you want, where to get it and what to do with it after you get it.

Many boys would rather work for $3.00 a week "salary" and wear a white collar, creased pants and patent leather shoes, than to earn $20.00 a week and have overalls and calloused hands and call it "wages."

I feel sorry for the boy who will inherit a pile of money—he will rely too much upon his dad's dough.

If you've got to smoke, get a good pipe or cigar, but cut out the cigarette.

Say "no" so loud you'll startle hell when tempted to do wrong.

So many people haven't got sand enough to make the grade.

You can tell a man's size by what he's overcoming.

Grit—that's the Sampson in you.

Be like the man with the itch. Make the people scratch who come near you.

There is more hope for a fool than the young person who thinks he knows it all.

Some husbands pet their dog more than they do their wife.

Whatever happens, it might be worse.

You can tell a man by the size of the fuss he makes.

Make your company with the men who are bigger than you are. Don't go with the little runts of infidels.

Every time you laugh you put a crimp in the undertaker's prospects.

All some men are fit for is just to help swell the crowd.

We have so many people in this world with baby intellects, with baby morals, with baby character, with baby ambition.

God likes to see a man quit keeping somebody on the side, and trot square.

In Portsmouth you can hear more barbershop, curbstone and livery stable theology than you ever heard before in all your life.

Bryan says, "You can always afford to be in the minority, but you can never afford to be in the wrong."

The man who prays is bigger than the wart who curses and swears.

A midget in body can be made a financial profit in a dime museum, but a midget in character and morals is not useful anywhere.

Must Know Limitations.

Study your capabilities. See what you can do. A serious mistake of parents is to expect their sons and daughters to be like them. If God had wanted two sons, He'd have made you twins. Find out what you are to do, no matter how long it takes. P. T. Barnum failed in fourteen occupations before he found out he was a showman. Cromwell was a farmer at 40. Moody was selling boots and shoes when he was middle aged. If God wants you to be an iron cogwheel in the machine, the sooner you stop trying to be the searchlight and the whistle, the better. Many a man is good at beginning, but like the fellow who fell off the house, he stopped too quick. God wants men who can and will do things.

Charcter Main Thing.

Ignorance will be a barrier to you all your life. Size depends on your mind, not on your bulk. The engineer is bigger than his engine, because he runs it; the captain is bigger than the ship, because his word is all that is necessary to guide it. Measure a rose by its size—that's easy. Measure it by its fragrance—that's impossible. Measure men and women by their bulk—we've got the scales for that; measure them by their character—that's impossible.

Victor Hugo sent a poem to the academy when he was only 15 years old. Pope wrote a poem at 14. Napoleon, when he was at the military academy, wrote to his mother at the age of 10 years, "With my sword at my side I am going to fight my way through this world." And he did, and the dynasties of Europe trembled before him. Murillo, the artist, used to make drawings on the margins of his school books. Galileo discovered the law of the pendulum and invented the microscope at the age of 18. So I say study your capabilities.

Daniel Webster's father was a farmer and he had young Daniel cutting grain with a scythe and a cradle. Said Daniel to the old man "This scythe don't hang to suit me." So the old man rehung it. Still Daniel complained and the old man finally said, "Well, hang it to suit yourself." And Daniel went and hung it in a tree. "Now," said he to the old man, "it hangs to suit me."

If you have been drilling away at the same old hole for 40 years, with little success, you're in the wrong hole or your drill is too short.

Any freckle-faced, bow-legged, pigeon-toed, stone-bruised heeled, warty, red-headed kid can ride a horse to water, but a college professor with mutton chop whiskers and 57 diplomas cannot make the horse drink unless he has the desire to drink. God can give you every opportunity, but God can't make you accept them.

Company Helps In Development.

How can you be bigger than you are? Well, go with people who are bigger than you are. Make your company with the men who are bigger than you are. Don't go with the little runts or infidels. Don't go with the crowd in the stale beer joints. Go with real men, the clean men, the Christian men and women. They will make you better than you are now, make you bigger; you

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Mrs. Sunday Did Not Come

Mrs. William A. Sunday and son, Paul, who were expected here Saturday noon, from Chicago, telegraphed they would not get here before the first of next week, possibly on Tuesday. They will be domiciled at the Brushart home on East Second street during the Sunday campaign.

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Billy Sunday And His Smile

EVENING TIMES SPORTS

Athletics Will Have A Fight

A great many fans already concede the American league pennant for 1911 to the Philadelphia Athletics. This seems to many local baseball men like a hasty conclusion four months before the season opens. The people who believe the result of next year's race is all cut and dried base their conclusions upon several facts and many pet theories.

First, they point out that in the history of major league ball the same team has usually won the championship two or three years in succession. When a manager succeeds in building up a winning machine he can almost count on its running smoothly for at least two years, and it is not until some other baseball leader develops another first-class team that the championship changes hands. Just as a great team takes some time to decay, so it also takes years of experiment and hard work to build up a great team.

Connie Mack has certainly put together a wonderful combination and in all probability his aggregation will be still stronger next season. To his magnificent pitching staff he has added Russell and one or two other youngsters who should make the list of boxmen even more formidable than it has been. Last year the Athletics broke the league record for games won and finished the race in a canter, with plenty of daylight between themselves and the runner-up.

Considering these things, it looks as if those persons who bank on the Mackmen winning another pennant were figuring conservatively. However, it is the uncertainty of baseball that keeps the interest of countless thousands at fever heat. It only required the addition of a few stars to enable a nine composed mostly of Washington players to wallop the Athletics in the practice games before the world's series. Minus Mack and Collins the champions lost to Cuban teams that, even considering the Philadelphias' lack of condition, they should have defeated.

Supposing that during some week early next season Collins should tear off a finger nail and Barry should bruise one of his heels. These might be slight things in themselves, and yet affect the final result of the whole league race. Then there are other teams which need only one or two good men to make them even favorites for the flag.

Chicago, strengthened at all positions, was playing remarkable ball toward the end of last season and should start with a run in the spring. In Walsh, Lang, Scott and White the White Sox have a quartet of pitchers hard to surpass.

Detroit needs strengthening, but the Tigers have over thirty recruits to pick from, and if one in ten of the new men can make good the Tigers will certainly be championship contenders.

Boston may not show as well next year with Stahl out of the game, but Cleveland has added new blood, and while New York is somewhat of an uncertain quantity under its new management, many baseball followers believe that all these teams will be well up in the running next year.

At any rate, it is probable that the Athletics will have a much harder contest ahead of them in 1911 than they had the past season.

NOODLES HAHN TO BE MGR.

Middletown, O., Jan. 7.—Dr. Frank "Noodles" Hahn signed a contract today to manage the Middletown team in the K. I. O. league next season. Dr. Hahn reported that he was on a fifteen-day vacation at present and will devote it to rounding up a good team. When not in the box he will play first base. He will try to secure Emil Haberer to catch for his team. In speaking of the members already signed by Middletown, he says he likes Flick and Ruckstuhl, and that they will be continued under his management. The local fans are greatly pleased to know of the new management, and will give him their hearty support.

GIANT SCOUT IN TROUBLE

Chicago, Jan. 7.—"O Smith, O Smith, O Smith," called the clerk in a local police court.

No response followed and the judge craned his neck in an attempt to catch a glimpse of the prisoner. The clerk was preparing to call again. Then a man in a rear seat of the court-room rose to his feet and meekly inquired:

"Do you mean me? My name is Fred Smith, not O. Smith."

The "O" was long drawn out by Smith, and a titter went over the court-room.

Smith, who is known as "Crazy Fred Smith," is scout of the New York Giants. He was charged with disorderly conduct, the result of a yule-tide celebration. The case was dismissed.

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BROWN DEAL STILL FAR FROM SETTLED

St. Louis, Jan. 7.—The local American league baseball situation still remains in a perplexing stage. The new owners of the Browns, although they have made a small deposit are no nearer the throne than at the beginning. They are not in a position to select a new manager for the reason that they do not own any ball club. It is almost authentically rumored that a well known Brown magnate will come to the rescue. Hedges states that all the details will be settled as soon as the $150,000 is within reach.

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TIM FLOOD IS TO BE WITH CANTON

Manager Fred Drumm will have two men on his team next year capable of acting as field leaders of the Canton club. Jack Ernst, who is expected to do most of the work behind the bat is one and Tim Flood, who finished the season with the Drummers last year, is the other.

It has been practically settled that Flood will be back in Canton uniform and will hold down third base. That is the veteran's natural position and he can play a much better game in the far corner than at second base, where he filled in last season.

Both men have all the qualifications for good field leaders, but as Ernst will be in the corner of the field from which the defensive work of the team can be most easily directed, he will probably be the captain.

Rube Geyer To Get Chance

Columbus, O., Jan. 7.—Rube Geyer is to get another chance with the St. Louis Cardinals. Last year Reuben was troubled with a sore arm from April to October. Bresnahan paid the Columbus club $4500 for Geyer, and doesn't want to lose all that coin without giving Rube another trial.

Harry McIntyre of the Tigers is in bad with the Detroit club. The management has been anxious to get a trade for the veteran outfielder all winter and he is now offered in trade to the Minneapolis club for Cravath, formerly with the White Sox.

WELLSTON HIGH LOST MONEY ON SEASON

The Wellston Sentinel says: "Although the W. H. S. football team of 1910 played excellent football and won the championship of southern Ohio, nearly every game was played at a financial loss. This together with the other necessary expenses of running a team left the locals about $200 in debt, and the expenses for the Thanksgiving game were so heavy as to leave almost no profit.

"Accordingly, on Friday evening, January 13th, the boys will try to raise the amount of the present debt by giving a benefit picture show at the Virginia theatre, and feel that their work on the gridiron entitles them to the loyal support of the public. The show will be the usual run of three thousand feet of film and an effort will be made to secure a football story as the basis of one of them. The admission price will be five cents, and the Virginia theatre is large enough to accommodate the large crowd which will no doubt turn out."

Lank Catcher Goes High Up

Arthur Irwin, the scout of the New York Highlanders was responsible for the New York club purchasing Catcher Williams of the Canton club of the O. & P. league. In regard to Williams, Irwin talks thusly:

"Right here and now, I want to line up and say that the Highlanders have in Williams a catcher who will be the equal of Sweeney and Blair. It will take a little time, perhaps, but I am strong for Williams. The kid reminds Stanage, the Tiger catcher. He is built on just the latter's lines and how he can whip them around the bases. He caught in all the games for the McKeesport club in 1909 last year was on the receiving end of the battery in all the games but four with the Canton club. Of course he may not tear the league up right off the bat. I always did like a ball player who looked as if he could be developed into big league style. Williams is that sort of a player. He may have a lot of minor league stuff in his bean, but being around the big leagues a while will make him at home.

"I look for him to land the job as third catcher. I watched him in many a game. He pegs down to second base for the burglars like a big league mittman. Williams was with the Lancaster club in the Ohio State League two years ago."

HARRY DAVIS TO BE WITH ATHLETICS

Philadelphia, Jan. 7.—Captain of the Athletics, Harry Davis, returned to Philadelphia last night and yesterday began to prepare for the southern spring training trip. John Shibe, business manager of the Athletics, and Capt. Davis are well pleased with the arrangements made for the early practice, the understanding being that the 23 men retained by the club last year will sign up for 1911.

"There will be a few additions, of course," said Davis. "That is up to Connie Mack, when he returns. I think, however, that the team next season will be just the same as that which won the world's honors in 1910.

"I want to make it emphatic that I will be with the Athletics in 1911. I don't know what may happen in 1912 or later. I have received various offers from St. Louis, Cleveland and elsewhere."

Connie Mack is expected to return from Europe shortly before February 1.

One plant for the Red Sox and the Doves has been suggested again. The Boston clubs have had parks side by side and it looked like a waste of money and space to have them using up so much valuable space so near the heart of the city.

BIG WRESTLER IS COMING

Another foreign giant is on his way to America. He is seeking matches with the best wrestlers. The giant's name is Samson, and he is known as the German Hercules.

Samson is the biggest grappler who has ever been in the states. He stands six feet four inches and tips the scales at 260 pounds. His other measurements are: Neck, 20 inches; chest, 54; biceps, 19; thigh, 27; calf, 17½. He is 28 yrs. old.

Samson comes here with a good record in Europe. He expects to improve it at the expense of Roller, Westergard, Zbyszko, Hackenschmidt and others. Samson will be managed by E. Albertin, 732 LaSalle avenue, Chicago.

WOLGAST HAS SHOWN HAND

Ad Wolgast has shown his hand by accepting the offer from Promoter McCarey of Vernon, Cal., to meet George Memsic on Washington's birthday in a 20-round bout. Memsic is a third-rater and hardly able to give the champion a good battle on the anniversary of his contest with Nelson. Wolgast took the match to sidestep Moran, who wanted that date and also to avoid losing his title by forfeit when he refused to meet a real contender within twelve months.

Jimmy McAleer of the Washington Nationals, says that if he had Ty Cobb, Tris Speaker and Ed Walsh, he could win in a walk. There is nothing startling about that statement, even the Browns would have a look in with about the two best outfielders in the business and a pitcher that is as good as any of them.

FRANKNESS.

"Would it be conceited for me to tell my friends that I made this dress myself?"

"Not conceited, my dear—super-fluous!"

HOODOO WITH FIRST BASE POSITION

Is there a fatal hoodoo stalking in company with the position of first base man on the Milwaukee club?

The sad ending of Dan McGann in Louisville three weeks ago recalls to mind one fatal and one near fatal accident to two other players who labored where the lamented Dan played during the seasons of 1909 and 1910. Five or six years ago while the Milwaukee club was barnstorming through Iowa after the close of the season, Quate Bateman became involved in a quarrel with Charley Dexter, the old-time ball star. Dexter in a moment of anger pulled a knife and stabbed the Brewer first baseman in the back. He hovered between life and death for a couple of weeks but finally managed to pull through.

Four winters ago Pat Hynes, who was slated for the first base job the following season, became involved in a saloon row in St. Louis and was murdered. And now comes McGann's untimely end.

Accidents of this kind usually run in threes so the men slated for the first base job on future Brewer teams need have no fear.

AGREED.

"I must have been a fool when I married her."

"Certainly. It couldn't have come on so badly in two years."

Quinn Off For Pow Wow

Columbus, O., Jan. 7.—Secretary Quinn will leave Sunday for Cleveland where a meeting of the O. and P. league is to be held on Monday. Then he goes to Akron for a day or two and will report in Chicago Thursday for the annual A. A. meeting. President Schoenborn leaves next Wednesday evening for the same meeting.

Fred Heller, formerly left fielder for Lancaster of the Ohio State league, is behind the Neil House cigar counter.

Horace Fogel of the Phillies, in a statement says that contracts given the players this season call for an increase of $7100 in salaries over last season. Wonder who got the increase, for of the twenty some players on the Philly roster, over a dozen of them are holding out for more of the "kale."

Jeff Will Go Around World

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 7.—Jim Jeffries, accompanied by his wife, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kipper, have arranged to take a trip to the Orient on the first leg of a round-the-world journey.

Jeffries spends nearly all of his time on his ranch hunting, playing with his dogs and watching the ducks and chickens. He has taken on a lot of weight since his humiliating defeat at the hands of Jack Johnson, but is enjoying first-class health. He is estimated to be worth $800,0000, much of this wealth being invested in real estate and his hotel business. He has two automobiles and several horses, besides a lot of live stock. His brother Jack looks after his financial matters.

No amount of questioning can induce Jeffries to speak of his affair with Johnson. A correspondent asked him yesterday if he believed Johnson's success would materialize in the near future. Jeffries put on a scowl as he groweld: "I don't know anything about it. I don't keep tab on those fellows. I don't care to talk about fighters. I am too busy with my own affairs." Saying this he hopped into his auto and gave orders to Malcolm to move along.

Jeffries seldom appears on the streets here excepting in his auto, and then he does not appear to notice his former acquaintances. He has developed into a confirmed grouch.

Majestics Beaten By The Pilgrims

Though the Majestics were able to trim the Invincibles on Thursday night, they were unable to keep up their winning streak when they came up against the Pilgrims. The wanderers fairly played them alive and took the two best out of three with little effort. The score:

Pilgrims:—			
Lloyd	109	137	112
Wertz	121	189	131
Wilhelm	149	136	155
Phill	203	166	156
Totals	582	628	554

Majestics:—			
Lindsay	164	161	164
Knittle	118	137	159
Rickey	109	154	141
Russell	148	136	000
Heisel	000	000	142
Totals	539	588	609

BASE BALL

Glen Liebhardt is the authority for the story that Grover Land will be a tower of strength behind the bat for the Naps next season. Glen tells the Cleveland fans that Grover is all to the good and then some, and the services of a veteran receiver will not be needed as long as Land is in shape to perform.

A job as manager of the New Castle club of the Ohio and Pennsylvania league has been tendered Edward Abaticchio, the veteran infielder of the Pittsburg club. A tempting salary has been attached to the offer.

Connie Mack has signed a coming star in Pitcher Collamore of the New England league, according to Jesse Burkett, the former big leaguer, who is now at the head of the Worcester club.

Connie Mack seems sweet on college pitchers, Harry Martin the Tufts college man, is said to be another coming star, and Connie has him safely booked.

Jack Warner, the old catcher, who was with the New York Giants for a year and later with the Washington Senators, had hard luck since he embarked in the minor league game. He bought into Galveston, Tex., club and lost there. He then invested in the Binghampton, N. Y., club and lost everything he had left, because Governor Hughes put an end to Sunday playing. He is looking for a position as an umpire.

TALKINGSHOWS ARE COMING

Messrs. Potts and Coyn, proprietors of the Old Orpheum theatre, are negotiating for a man to come here to manage a talking picture company for them. It is planned to have talking pictures with one film each night and to reproduce sounds which accompany the pictures as much as possible.

Work was begun again Friday on the front of the theatre. The front was given a coat of pure white paint and when the finishing touches are put thereon J. S. Potts says the place will look good enough to eat.

PROOF.

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with a loaf of our bread on your breakfast table. You'll find yourself eating as you haven't eaten for a long time. Want to know why? Just have your grocer send some to your house every morning fresh from our ovens and you'll know all right.

In sunshine, rain, snow or sleet you'll find my wagons on the street.

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HANSEN FURNITURE CO. BANQUETED EMPLOYES

It was a great banquet that the Hansen Furniture company served to the firm members, it's employees and the representatives of the press at the Washington hotel on Friday evening. Beginning with oyster cocktail, the dainty eatables were served in a long line of seven courses and ended with the lapping of a box of fine Havana cigars.

Though the Hansen Furniture company is yet in it's infancy in matter of years, only a year and one month old, it is nevertheless one of the city's largest and most successful retail firms. Starting on the ground floor as a mere experiment with small capital, it has enjoyed a growth that is phenominal and is now recognized as one of the largest retail furniture establishments in the Ohio valley. The honest business methods which were adopted by the firm at the outset, soon won for it the confidence not only of the manufacturers of whom they purchased their goods but also of the patrons to whom the goods were sold. The success of the firm as voiced by the officers and directors of the company in their after-dinner talks is due entirely to the splendid management of the Manager, Carl N. Hansen. Their praise of his work was unlimite dand the banquets which were handed him were equal to those showered on the leading lady in some great operatic hit. Only the banquets were not of flowers but of words of praise coming from the deep recesses of their hearts. Taking hold of the firm at the outset when it was weak and struggling for existence, his methods soon put it on the upward path and it's ascension has been with unlimited speed. The firm's credit was extended until now it can go upon the markets in any section of the country and order goods by the car load and the matter of payment is an after consideration with the manufacturer.

The company completed its annual invoice late Friday evening and a meeting of the directors was held immediately afterward. There was no cause for a change in the personnel of the officers, as the success of the company had been beyond the greatest expectations, and the same list of efficient officers were elected for 1911. They are president, Geo. J. Schmidt; vice president, James R. Distel; Manager, Carl N. Hansen; secretary and treasurer, Harry Ball.

In the banquet hall where 24 were seated at the table, president Geo. J. Schmidt acted as toastmaster and he did himself credit in his position. He called on about two-thirds of the number for speeches and it js needless to say that they responded in a hearty good manner.

GARBAGE MEN TO GET AN INCREASE

The poorest paid of all city employees, namely the garbage haulers, are to receive a long asked for increase in wages.

An advance of 25 cents per day was decided upon by the city council finance committee at its meeting Friday night. The men have only been receiving $2.50 per day and required to furnish their own horse and cart. The extra 25 cents which will make their wages $2.75 per day will perhaps cover the cost of horse feed. The garbage men had petitioned council for a raise some time ago. The committee only regrets it cannot make the increase still larger. There are eight men effected by the increase. The new increase in the salary of city firemen is now also in effect. The balance of appropriations remain the same as last year.

Foley's Kidney Remedy—An Appreciation.

L. McConnell, Catherine St., Elmira, N. Y., writes: "I wish to express my appreciation of the great good I derived from Foley's Kidney Remedy, which I used for a bad case of kidney trouble. Five bottles did the work most effectively and proved to me beyond doubt it is the most reliable kidney medicine I have ever taken and shall always have my endorsements." Fisher & Streich, Portsmouth, O.

Socialist Column

(BY ROBERT DODGE.)

Socialism proposes to allow man access to nature's gifts. To do this, he must be allowed the use of tools, but to allow this the tools must be collectively owned, and then he will create more wealth; that is, good and useful things, than he and those dependent on him can consume.

Now we have the idle sick and the idle rich and the idle poor. Mills, shops and factories do not run, not because they cannot get the raw materials to make the goods, but because they cannot sell the goods after they are made.

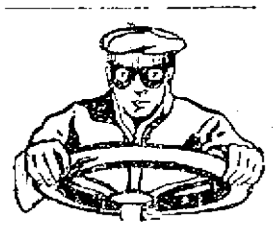
Working collectively, man can produce plenty for all and make every man, woman and child rich in all material things. Today poverty exists in the midst of plenty for all. This is a social crime and must and will be abolished. When that time comes, as come it will, mankind will not only be rich in material things, but rich in mental and spiritual treasures as well; for in getting rid of material poverty man frees himself from the chief incentive to vice and crime.

Socialists realize the greatness of the task, but the labor is so inspiring that once a Socialist, always a Socialist. To him it means the redemption of the race from the bondage of ignorance and poverty, and the making possible of the Kingdom of Christ on the earth, and therefore the greatest and most inspiring work in which any man can engage. Hence the enthusiasm everywhere displayed by Socialists in preparing their philosophy.

Many good, well meaning people are now blindly combatting Socialism because they do not take sufficient time to study and learn the ethics of the movement. The best authority on the meaning of words the Encyclopedia Brittanica, says the ethics of Christianity and Socialism are the same. Everybody will be an equal stockholder in the Co-operative Commonwealth, and in order to obtain the best for themselves and families, men and women will have to assist in bringing these conditions about for society at large, and when everything is to be gained by helping one another, brotherly love will come naturally, and the Golden Rule will be practical in the affairs of life. The principle of brotherly love has been preached by servants of Christianity for nearly two thousand years, and if preaching alone was intended to bring the ideal society, we ought to have made great progress toward it by this time. But that we have will not be claimed by our greatest optimists. Bible history upholds the old saying, "The Lord helps those who help themselves." The preaching of righteousness is all right as far as it goes, but the practice is what counts. Socialists are working and voting to do what the churches are praying for help to do, and if the teachings of Christ are best for society, then the Socialists are not wrong in seeking to carry them into practical effect through laws enacted for that purpose.

The real issue is, Shall the whole people own and control and manage the resources of nature and the tools of production and distribution, or shall a class continue to do so, as at present?

All ethical and political issues cluster around this one.



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Ironton To Greet Sunday Workers

The Irontonian says:—

Revs. L. B. Sparks and W. Lindsay went to Portsmouth on Thursday to interview Rev. W. A. Sunday with reference to his holding a service in this city. They succeeded in making the following arrangements: Three of Mr. Sunday's party are to be here next Monday evening, and will hold services in Spencer Methodist church. Mr. Sunday will be here in the course of two or three weeks to hold one afternoon service in the same church.

The three gentlemen that are coming on Monday evening, are Rev. L. E. Honeywell, preacher; Prof. H. A. Rodeheaver, singer; and Mr. B. D. Ackley, pianist. These are thoroughly trained and talented men. Prof. Rodeheaver is one of the noted singers of the day.

The local clergymen are very enthusiastic as to the coming of these men and feel they have procured in these engagements that which is of profound significance to the moral and religious interests of our city.

Pains All Over

Houston, Tex.—"For five years," says Mrs. L. Falenchek, of this place, "I suffered with pains all over, especially in my back and side, and was so weak I could hardly do my housework. A friend told me of Cardui. Since taking it, I feel so much better! Now I can do all my housework and pains don't bother me any more at all." Cardui is a strength-building medicine. Fifty years of success have produced, amongst its many users, confidence in Cardui and what it will do. During this time, Cardui has relieved the female ailments of over a million women. Why not yours? Try it, today. Your druggist sells it.

Police Shadowed A Strange Couple

The police for a time Friday night thought they had unexpectedly encountered John E. Humphreys, the absconding Cincinnati broker and wife, whose disappearance has caused a big sensation in financial circles of that city.

Some railroad men, who had been attracted to a neat and refined looking couple in Grey's restaurant thought they answered the description of the Humphreys and acquainted the police with his suspicions. The officers found there was a striking resemblance and decided to shadow the pair. It was found the woman had a room at the Harris House. The couple took a stroll down town and while some officers followed Capt. Albrecht communicated with the Cincinnati authorities. These thought there must be a mistake for Humphreys and wife from all information at hand were safely in Honduras. It was later learned that the strange man was a detective and had accompanied a woman acquaintance from Bluefield to this city. She left on an early train for Nashville, Tenn.

Mutes Are To Meet

The local colony of deaf mutes who call themselves the "Illinois Club" is preparing to entertain a delegation of mutes from this and adjoining states who are expected to visit Portsmouth the latter part of February or early in March.

There seems to be some sort of a movement on among the mutes to for man organization for the purpose of bringing about more friendly relations between the mutes and their more fortunate brothers.

James Fultz has resigned his position with the Lloyd Adams Shoe Co. He will leave Sunday for Cincinnati to take a position with a Cumminsville shoe factory.

THE DOCTOR IN THE HOUSE

Dr. Wright's Rapid Relief a Household Necessity

THOUSANDS of families would no more think of doing without Dr. Wright's Rapid Relief than they would of discarding food and clothing. This sterling remedy is a recognized standard. It is a pain destroyer.

Ever since 1873 Rapid Relief has answered so many purposes that its mission is one of untold benefit. The many flesh wounds of every-day occurrence should be treated with Rapid Relief at once, for this saves pain, inconvenience and offsets the ever-present danger of lockjaw and blood-poisoning. The aches, pains, soreness and swelling to which all flesh is heir and the sudden, painful ailments, like cramps, croup, diphtheria and poisonous bites that demand immediate attention- always yield to the marvelous penetrating powers of Rapid Relief. In such cases as these, where delays are dangerous, Rapid Relief takes the place of a regular doctor and is worth its weight in coin.

Rapid Relief is for scores of ills—human and animal diseases. It holds a life-saving record, and since '73 has helped many a farmer cure his horses of colic. It is for both internal and external use.

Get a trial bottle for 25 cents. Your money returned if not satisfied with results. Ask your dealer or write direct to the Wright Rapid Relief Co., Peebles, Ohio, for circulars.

Eye Signs

When eyes blur, water, or smart, when ordinary print becomes difficult to read, it is the signal of an unusual eye condition. Such warnings are not to be disregarded, but should have the care and attention that one's eye-sight deserves.

It has been our good fortune to relieve many cases of weak or defective eye-sight, not through any wonderful powers, but simply by the careful study of a case and the proper application of lenses.

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The new fall line of The Ed. V. Price Custom made Clothing, now on display, at Hatter and Gents Furnisher, 505 Chillicothe Street.

Frank Sodaro Is Promoted

Frank Sodaro, a local boy who for some time has been collector for Collier's Weekly has received a well earned promotion. Next week he will leave for Cincinnati to take a position in the Collier's Weekly office there. Frank will have charge of the checking up of all the subscriptions for the magazine that comes in from this territory.

Finds Pearl In An Oyster

While opening oysters at her home on East Twelfth street on Friday, Mrs. Frank Joseph found a large pearl imbedded in one of them.

Supt. J. T. Carey of the local division of the N. & W., returned Friday night from a business trip to Columbus.

Frank Shap left Saturday morning for Columbus on business.

C.&O. Buys Land

[illegible] the C. & O. purchased a four foot strip of land from the resident lot of A. H. Freye [illegible] Greenup.

[illegible] not known just what is [illegible] wind," but it is thought [illegible] want to straighten up [illegible] there or make a road [illegible] through the block.

[illegible] first it was reported that [illegible] had purchased the whole [illegible] and would build a new de[illegible]

[illegible] Malerus, Greek fruit [illegible] is at Hempstead hospital, [illegible] from typhoid fever.

Install Officers

At the meeting of Portsmouth Council No. 38, Jr. O. U. A. M., Thursday night the following officers were installed by Deputy C. M. Quickel:

Councillor, Irvin Bowser; V. C., Frank Jones; F. S., Will Hart; R. S., Brooke Groninger; A. R. S., K. N. DeLong; Treasurer, C. A. Kerr; Chaplain, J. R. Gilkerson; Jr. P. C., C. A. Warnica; Fr., D. Hopkins, C. Warnica; Representative, C. A. Kerr; Alternate, S. D. Stacey; Conductor, P. Quickel; Warden, H. Rhyan; Outside Guadr, C. Campbell; Inside Guard, O. Wamley; Team Master, K. N. DeLong.

Everything in our store is reduced in price.—The Haas Clothing Co. 6-2

Wants to be A Sailor Bold

Jim Turner, north end colored youth, left Friday evening on the N. & W., for Norfolk, Va. He will make an effort to get a position on board a battleship or a liner. Jim is a good mechanic and for some time lately was a valuable employee of R. S. Prichard, the auto dealer.

Morris Abrams, proprietor of the Harris House, is sick with pneumonia.

CHILDREN IN THE HOME

The highest type of happiness is reached by having children in the home; but the coming of the little ones is often attended with apprehension and dread. Mother's Friend if used by the expectant mother in preparation of the ordeal, carries her through the crisis with safety. This great remedy assists nature in all necessary physical changes of the system, affords bodily comfort during the period of waiting, and preserves the symmetry of form after baby comes. The penetrating and soothing qualities of Mother's Friend always causes, prevents caking of the breasts, and in every way contributes to strong, healthy motherhood. Mother's Friend is sold at drug stores. Write for our free book containing valuable information for expectant mothers.

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	4 Full Qts. Finch's Golden Wedding	4 40		4 Full Qts. Helenbrook	4 00
	4 Full Qts. Sam Thompson	4 40		4 Full Qts. Chicken Cook	4 00
	4 Full Qts. Overholt	4 50		4 Full Qts. Green River	4 50
	4 Full Qts. Guckenheimer	4 50		4 Full Qts. Limestone	4 50
	4 Full Qts. Large	4 50		4 Full Qts. Bond & Lillard	5 00

BULK GOODS—Per Gallon in Jugs.

	Spring Lane Bourbon or Rye	$2 00		Stanton's AAA Bourbon or Rye	$3 50
	Stanton's XX Bourbon or Rye	2 00		Old Dillinger Rye	4 00
	Stanton's XXX Bourbon or Rye	2 50		Sunny Brook Bourbon	4 00
	Stanton's XXXX Bourbon or Rye	3 00		Stanton's Special Vatted Bourbon or Rye	4 50

OUR OWN BOTTLING.

	4 Full Qts. Spring Lane Bourbon or Rye	$2 00		4 Full Qts. Dillinger Rye	$4 00
	4 Full Qts. Stanton's XX Bourbon or Rye	2 00		4 Full Qts. Sunny Brook Bourbon	4 00
	4 Full Qts. Stanton's XXX Bourbon or Rye	2 50		4 Full Qts. Stanton's Special Vatted Bourbon or Rye	4 50
	4 Full Qts. Stanton's XXXX Bourbon or Rye	3 00		12 Full Qts. Stanton's XXX Bourbon or Rye	7 00
	4 Full Qts. Stanton's AAA Bourbon or Rye	3 50		12 Full Qts. Stanton's XXXX Bourbon or Rye	8 00

We also carry in Stock a full line of Imported and Domestic Brandies, Gins, Wines and Cordials, and quote below a few of our Leaders:

	Pure XXX California Sherry, per gal.	1 50		Sol Shipley Pure Blackberry, per gal.	$2 00
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	Imported Sherry	3 00		Pure XXXX Gin, per gal.	3 00
	Pure XXX California Port, per gal.	1 50		Pure XXX Apple Brandy, per gal.	3 00
	Pure XXXX California Port, per gal.	2 00		Pure XXXX Apple Brandy, per gal.	4 00
	Imported Port	3 00		Pure Alcohol, per gal.	3 00 and 4 00

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The East End Furniture Co.

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For the INDUSTRIOUS NEEDLEWOMAN

By ADELAIDE BYRD

The Library Table Centerpiece

Designed by E J BUCKMAN

HERE'S a centerpiece of pine cones for your table in the hall or library. It is four times as pretty as it looks here, for you will see that only one-quarter of the design is shown. Let me tell you how to transfer the design to your linen.

There are three very easy methods of doing this. First, there is the use of carbon paper, at about 5 cents a large sheet. Place your linen flat on a table or board; pin it down with ordinary pins or thumbtacks. Then place the carbon sheet with the inked surface down and on it lay this paper. With a sharp, hard pencil trace the design. When it is finished swing it around as if on a wheel and add one more section, continuing until the whole circle is finished.

Another way is to place this sheet on a window pane and your linen over it. With a hard pencil the design can be traced directly in lead on the material. Pasting the paper on the glass will insure an easy position for the cut.

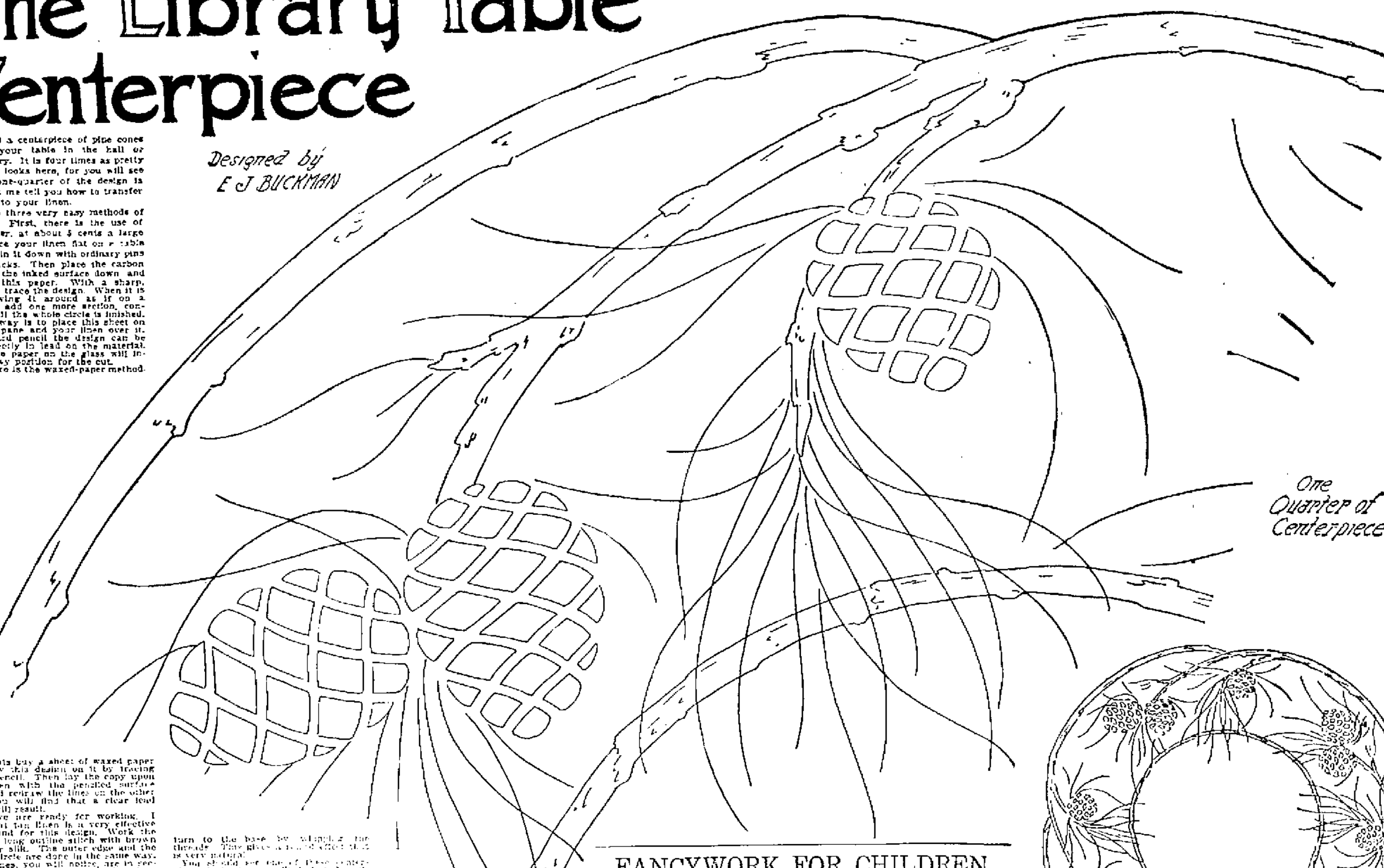
Then there is the waxed-paper method. For 5 cents buy a sheet of waxed paper and draw this design on it by tracing with a pencil. Then lay the copy upon your linen with the penciled surface down and redraw the lines on the other side. You will find that a clear lead outline will result.

Now we are ready for working. I think that tan linen is a very effective background for this design. Work the stems in long outline stitch with brown thread or silk. The outer edge and the central circle are done in the same way.

The cones, you will notice, are in sections and are very attractive when done in solid stitch. With coarse cotton or silk this work is quickly done. Be careful to preserve the clear-cut outline of each little diamond.

With thinner thread you will work the pine needles. Outline each one and return to the base by [illegible] the threads. This gives a [illegible] effect that is very natural.

You should see one of these centerpieces in the linen [illegible]. It is beautiful. The design is [illegible] easy to work and is completed in a very short time. You will never [illegible] for the pines are appropriate for all seasons and are their own excuse for being."



One Quarter of Centerpiece

When Finished

FANCYWORK FOR CHILDREN

THE children often come to you and ask for something to do—something to make, for a child's ideas are always creative. Here is some [illegible] work for [illegible] fingers.

A wall match-holder can be made on a [illegible] of [illegible] cut out in a diamond, the upper portion of which is [illegible] longer than the lower. [illegible] the two lower ends [illegible] so as to form a pocket and cover the whole with silk or any bright colored fabric. Then [illegible] with heavy [illegible] and attach a ring to hang it up by.

A hanging pincushion is also easily made [illegible] two squares, [illegible] or six inches square, from bristol-board [illegible] with [illegible] material and [illegible] with the plain side [illegible] a loop to hang by. Fill with absorbent cotton or with bran all the way to the top and sew silk tightly over it. Cotton is better, as bran is rather heavy.

A button penwiper may be made by cutting a circle of bright-colored silk, buttonholed to cardboard or cartridge paper, and then several other circles of chamois a bit smaller. Fasten all together with a large ornamental button. Even the smallest child can make this.

A simple footstool should be made of a strong wooden box with the [illegible] nailed firmly down. Screw on small casters and pad the top of the box. Cover with coarse canvas. Now cut out a piece of brocade in the shape of a cross and large enough to cover the top and sides of the box after padding. Nail this down and finish off the edges by furniture gimp held down by tiny brass tacks. This is something for the boys to make.

Let the children fashion their own birthday presents for the family. They will be ever so much appreciated, even if at first they are not quite perfect in make. And let them begin with one of the articles described above.

The Use of Ermine

OF ALL furs, ermine is most in favor this winter.

And tailless ermine, even more than the regular tailed variety.

Nearly all of us have some old scraps of ermine we can utilize.

And here are some of the truly Parisian ways to do it.

If you have enough, it will make a bodice for your black velvet gown.

Or a knee-deep band or a trailing hem on the skirt.

Then there are the ermine scarfs, lined with black satin.

And the black satin scarf with a narrow border of ermine all around.

Of course, the ermine coat and opera cloak we have always with us.

The other extreme is the very narrow border on a black velvet suit.

Then there is the border for the quilted black satin evening hood.

Muffs and neckpieces are matters of course.

And nearly all of these are concealed in your cedar chest or at your furrier's.

Go and see, and take along your scissors and needle.

To Avoid Puckering

PUCKERING is caused by holding the right [illegible] in sewing. The [illegible] continues to [illegible] half of the stitch [illegible] wider than the other half. Naturally, if this be the only one thread in a long seam, a pucker must ensue.

But if the [illegible] be brought [illegible] forward and the hand held so that the inside of the palm faces the sewer, the needle will point straight and both halves of the stitch will be of the same size.

Burlap and Leather

VERY attractive book covers, table mats, etc., are made of cut leather over burlap. It is difficult to describe the real beauty of these [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] of leather, velvet may be used [illegible] extremely attractive.

Evening Bags of Gold Tissue

Embroidered and Fringed

Lace Over Silk

Beads of Gold Jet

Of Glistening Tapestry

W[illegible] [illegible] surely these factors make up a desirable gift for yourself or your best friend.

Hat Ornaments

THE black hat, of course, is all the thing.

And it must by all means have a white or a black-and-white ornament.

Most of these ornaments can be made at home very inexpensively.

For which reason, listen well to their kinds.

Satin quills, with velvet midribs.

Cockades in alternate stripes of black and white.

Kid ornaments in all manner of shapes and sizes.

(And a white kidskin two feet square costs 75 cents.)

Pompons which are nothing but loops upon loops of knitting zephyr.

Cut felt ornaments (5 cents for a very wide eighth of a yard of felt).

Velvet flowers, white, their petals outlined with black [illegible].

Stiff little bows of narrow grosgrain ribbon, for wear with tailored hats.

Mourning Neckwear

WHITE crepe Dutch collars, with a double fold of crepe at the edge.

The same, with the border of black crepe instead of white.

Turnover stocks, the foundation tucked linen, the turnovers the edge of a mourning handkerchief.

Turnovers where a white embroidered handkerchief has been done over in black and then made into stock and jabot.

Collars, with the design in flat black rubber beads, nothing ornate, simply a plain edge or a wave or Greek key design.

White lawn jabots, held in place by two black crocheted rings, like scale rings.

Stiff collars of black pique, with a white border connected by a row of fagoting.

The same style, all in white, with black hemstitching between collar and border.

Black silk Dutch collars, moire or grosgrain, veiled by black chiffon [illegible] in pin folds.

White crepe collars with applied bands of black moire silk, about half an inch from the border.

Using Old Wool

DON'T you who crochet and knit often have odd lengths of wool of various colors left over, so small you can do nothing with them? Of course you do, especially now that the Christmas deluge has just subsided. Well, here is a way to get rid of them and to make things worth while in the bargain.

Tie the pieces together haphazard, but keeping the same weights together. Take long needles and work in the shell stitch such articles as baby-robes, [illegible], cushion covers, bed throws, etc., according to the weight and amount of wool you have.

[illegible] as to the [illegible] varieties of crocheting and knitting wool might not come amiss. Shetland zephyr, Shetland wool and [illegible] are of about the same weight, so are Saxony yarn, Spanish [illegible] and Iceland [illegible] and Germantown zephyr. [illegible] [illegible] you make only children's reins with it.

THEATRICAL

New Attractions

GRAND.

"The Lottery Man," today, Jan. 7th, matinee and night.

"Si Perkins," Saturday, Jan. 14th, matinee and night.

OLD ORPHEUM,
Motion Pictures.

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Motion pictures changed every day.

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Motion Pictures changed every day.

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Vaudeville, changed twice a week.

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Vaudeville, changed twice a week

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Motion pictures changed every day.

THE COLUMBIA.
New motion pictures of the highest character with illustrated songs. Program changed daily.

THE STAR.
Best of moving pictures and songs. Program changes daily.

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Tonight ends one of the best weeks the theatre has known in Portsmouth both from the standpoint of receipts in the box office and from the less material view of the theatre-goer. The shows have all been better which is some satisfaction to those who have been fed on "thrillers" and insipid vaudeville "stunts" for the past decede.

At the Grand tonight there is a genuine New York comedy, "The Lottery Man" which will do any one good to see. Loosen up your serious side once in a while and let some of the fun in such a play as the "Lottery Man" give you an appetite.

"The Lottery Man" has made a reputation and is keeping it. And from what is gathered from the critics all over the country — the fortunate country that this piece has visited—it is all good. With bad reps a play, especially a comedy, would flounder several times before it could make half the voyage the "Lottery Man" can credit itself with. Lucky was Manager Higley the day he clinched with the "Lottery Man's" representative and downed him for a date.

"The Lottery Man" had its premiere at the Bijou theatre in New York and was accorded unprecedented success for an entire year. That year has just closed. Now this company and production has jumped from New York to Milwaukee, thence to Minneapolis, St Paul and Winnipeg. What New York and Chicago said of "The Lottery Man" is history, and for the promoters, pleasant history at that. Every magazine [illegible]ll of the play success. The story of "The Lottery Man" has been run in the Times.

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At the Sun.

Next week will be the one big week of the season. Never before in the history of this house, or in fact in the history of vaudeville in Portsmouth has so expensive a show been provided for the vaudeville loving public, as it next week's offerings. The first half will bring the famous Jones & Eisner's "Aviator Girls." The last half will see the Gus Sun transcontinental American minstrels company with everything new, new songs, new costumes and scenery, a show that has made a hit in every town they have played this season. The Aviator Girls for the first half is the biggest musical comedy in point of talent, wardrobs and scenery that has ever been offered to a vaudeville audience. The following will give some idea of the character of this bill, the show opens with a one-act comedy in two scenes, stagged and directed by Mark Lee, "The $1000.00 Queen." Cast as follows: Abey Rosenbaum, greatest sport ever, Mark Lee; Philip Meyer, his friend, Bert Otto; Francis Murphy, the Queen of the air, Leon Cortel; Chas, the aviator, J. B. Cunningham; Bill Western, the walker, James O'Neil; the Aviator girls are Propeller, Anna Lee; Steering Gear, Goldie Marshel; Motor Power, Lilly Johnson; Speed Ometer, Murl Winfield; Storage Battery, Violet Nobels; Spark Plug, Grace Bovis. While aviating the folowing musical numbers will be introduced: Opening medley by ponies, "When You Think There is No One Looking," Leona Cortell and chorus; "What's the Matter With Father?" J. B. Cunningham and chorus; "Honey Moon Glide," Leona Cortel and chorus; "Does the Girl You Left Behind Ever Wish You Back Again." J. B. Cunningham and chorus; Leona Cortel and her telephone song; "Cutey Who Tied Your Tie," Anna Lee and her four dancing girls; The happy Dutchman and the human slide trombone, "All we want is a Single," Mark Lee and company; "Call Me Up Some Rainy Afternoon," company; Yodling and parodies, Cunningham and Lee; "Waltz Me Till I'm Weary, Dreary," Robinson sisters, Mark Lee and the girls; "The Aviation Race," the Aviator trio. Grand finale, entire company. This will be the treat of the season. Don't miss it.

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At the Majestic.

There is never anything lost through a judicious delay, says manager Al Reiniger of the Majestic theater, and for that reason he is going to wait until the last minute Saturday night before engaging his big feature act for next week's bill. He waited this week and secured the Hills, a sample of the best tumbling artists in vaudeville. He will, therefore not announce his big act until Monday. Riley and May Hern, singers and dancers have been engaged for the first half. They have been doing Morris time and close a successful engagement at the Orpheum in Cincinnatit Saturday night. Schuster and Foel, in an exquisite comedy sketch, will also create a little amusement for Majestic patrons next week. The third act belongs to Bob Dalton, notorious hero outlaw comedian. Ever hear of Jack Dalton? Well Bob is his brother.

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Violet Bogy Has Relatives Here.

Miss Violet Bogy, member of an old St. Louis family, and regarded by many as one of the most beautiful of the younger society set there, is on the stage. She has a part in "The Echo," a musical comedy in which Bessie McCoy is starring and is understudy to the star.

It will be news to many that she is a cousin of Elsie Janis and the grandparents of both were natives of St. Genevieve. She is also a cousin of Frank S. Bogy and Vallee Harold of this city.

Bernard Bogy moved two years ago from St. Louis to New York and his daughter, who was educated at Visatation Convent, followed him later. Before they departed Miss Bogy had appeared with her father at several informal affairs, although she had not then made her debut, and her beauty was the subject of general comment. She is 18 years old, slender and of medium height, with rich brown hair and eyes which her first name accurately describe. She made her formal bow to society last season in New York.

The Bogy family is connected by marriage and direct kinship with some of the oldest families in St. Louis. Miss Bogy is a granddaughter of the late United States Senator Louis Vital Bogy, now in Texas, who was once a lieutenant of John W. Gates in New York finance. Her mother was Nellie Griffith. Mrs. Bogy has just returned from a European tour and ns in New York.

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Mrs. Trevor Is With Thomas Jefferson.

The dramatic editor of The Times is in receipt of a pleasant communication from Miss Florence Burdett, otherwise known in Portsmouth as Mrs. Florence Trevor, wife of Vaugn Trevor, who is with Maclyn Arbuckle. She is now with Thomas Jefferson, son of the renowned Joe Jefferson, and has the leading feminine role in "The Other Fellow" now playing in the larger cities of the west.

She asked to be remembered to her friends in Portsmouth. That it will be joyous to them should it be announced that Mrs. Trevor will be with the Millbrook Stock company again next season, goes without saying for she was one of the most capable and popular of last season's stars at the "theatre among the trees."

To Mrs. Trevor, the editor of these columns is indebted for a clipping from an article recently appearing in the St. Paul Dispatch concerning her successful and noteworthy career. It goes as follows:

Miss Florence Burdett, who plays Mrs. Swift in "The Other Fellow" with Thomas Jefferson, is of English birth. During the 12 years that have passed since she went on the stage early in her 'teens, Miss Burdett has enjoyed a wide experience, mainly in her native land. She has sung on the operatic stage, has appeared in pantomime, has played leads in "stock," has enacted heavy emotional roles, and has toured with a company that boasted a Shakespeerean repertoire.

But it's only now, as chance decided, that she is getting her first acquaintance with farce.

Miss Burdett at the age of 16 began her career in "The Gondoliers" when that comic opera was crowding the London Savoy. Next she took parts in "The Sorcerer," and "The Mountebanks." Then she made a tour of "the provinces" with Wilson Barrett in "The Sign of the Cross" and fared forth the subsequent season in support of Maud Jeffries. During a number of later seasons Miss Burdett sang important roles in the D'Oyly Carte Opera company and became a London favorite.

When Henry W. Savage produced the musical comedy "Tom Jones" in New York four years ago he engaged Miss Burdett to take the role of the hostess. The ensuing year she sang with the Oboru Opera company in revivals of many standard operas. This season she started in "New York" a painfully realistic drama which deservedly failed at a Manhattan theatre. She was thus enabled to join Mr. Jefferson and breathe a more enjoyable atmosphere.

Scene from "The Lottery Man" with Sam S. and Lee Shuberts' own company and production of this great comedy success, direct from and first time out of New York at the Grand tonight.

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Eva Tanguay Is Heard Again.

There was a scene of enthusiasm that resembled a riot at Percy Williams' Bronx theatre, New York, when Eva Tanguay, the cyclonic comedienne, sprang to the centre of the stage for the first song of her turn. The applause rattled like a thousand packs of fire crackers in a barrel. Every shout of joy that came from the first row in the orchestra to the tip topmost bench in the highest gallery all meant but one thing—"Welcome!"

Full of life and spirit, the "8th wonder of the world" turned a blue Monday into vivid crimson. Outside the Bronx theatre the fog hung thick, cold and sticky, but inside the theatre Eva Tanguay waved the magic of her perennial vivaciousness and the heavy fog became light; the dreary became spirited; the inanimate alive and the moody cheerful.

That the Bronx likes Eva Tanguay was shown when she bounded out in the glare of the footlights. Her appearance in a pearl dress with pure white gems worth a king's ransom was the signal for an uproar, a tumult, a riot of unwelcome from a holiday throng that tested the capacity of the house.

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"The Lottery Man" was reproduced by the Forepaugh players at the Olympic theatre in Cincinnati this week. The success even to the stock company in this play was the biggest of the year. The same play comes to the Grand tonight with the Schubert's excellent company of actors and actresses.

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Up in Youngstown, O., sixteen motion picture machine operators were given an examination by the city fire chief and Building Inspector Charles Knox last week. Those that passed the exams were given license to pursue their vocation. The examination was required under a recent ordinance calculated to eliminate dangers of fires in the picture theatres. Operators under 18 years of age are forbidden to work at the machines in Youngstown.

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After an exhaustive search for an available actress, suited to the exacting requirements of the title role in Walter Browne's unusual play "Everywoman," Henry W. Savage announces the selection of Laura Nelson Hall.

In the title character Miss Hall will have the most difficult role she has undertaken, as the character is kaleidoscopic in its varying phases. The play, which was suggested by the famous fifteenth century morality play, "Everyman," satirizes the daily life of Everywoman in her pilgrimage in quest of love, and the chief character is designed to typify the sex as a whole, and throughout the five canticles into which its action is divided she depicts many and varied experiences, concluding with her wonderful discovery, which is the moral of the drama.

It is Mr. Savage's intention to produce "Everywoman" early in February. There are thirty-odd characters in the play, and in one scene upward of two hundred people will be employed. Rehearsals will begin immediately after the new year.

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The Colonial Theatre company of Indianapolis, Ind., has transferred its lease and rights to the Colonial Theatre, that city, to J. J. Ryan of Cincinnati, the new management taking charge Jan. 2. It is the intention to continue giving vaudeville attractions from the Sullivan & Considine circuit. The lease was assigned by J. P. and Frank Fitzgerald.

R. G. Moran of Cincinnati, will go to Indianapolis to represent the new owner, Ed E. Daley, who has been connected with the theatre, is to remain. Mr. Ryan has a number of vaudeville houses and is a member of the International Theatrical company which books the Sullivan & Considine acts.

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The following appeared in The Player of December 30th:

Dolly Zenda (Mrs. P. H. Alvin), of Alvin and Zenda, died at the Deaconess Hospital, Ironton, O., after an illness of nine weeks with typhoid fever and pneumonia, contracted while the team was being featured with the W. R. Markle "Sunny South" Show Boat. Mrs. Alvin was but 17 years of age, and had been married but six months. The remains were taken to Dresden, O., her former residence, for burial, and was accompanied by her husband and her father and mother, who had been at her bedside continuously since her illness. Mrs. Alvin at the time of her marriage was considered to be the handsomest girl in Dresden.

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MADAME GENEE IS COMING BACK

It is announced that as a result of negotiations which have been going on for some days past Mlle. Adeline Genee, the Danish dancer, has been added to Percy G. Williams' list of variety stars. She is expected to make her first American vaudeville appearance at the Colonial Theatre, New York, on Jan. 16.

The dancer's vaudeville contract is for only five weeks, more than one-half of which will be devoted to the Colonial, Alhambra and Bronx theatres. She will then appear at his out-of-town houses, returning subsequently to London. The salary for her services is said will be one of the highest ever paid to a dancer.

Mlle. Genee has sent to London for the scenery and paraphernalia of some of the ballet sketches in which she appeared at the music halls there prior to becoming a Klaw & Erlanger dancing star in America three seasons ago. She will have a company and will appear in a role which calls both for singing and dancing.

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The "old time" songs are especially fetching when sung by "new time singers."

When Rodeheaver's bunch sang "Shall We Gather at the River?" he had plenty of help from the audience, for the grand old song caused many elderly Methodists to hark back to the days of "Charley" McCabe, and Baptists recalled William Roads. The same way with "Home of the Soul."

The afternoon meetings are growing apace. The tabernacle was half full yesterday afternoon, and that's "going some" for a daylight meeting.

Leader Rodeheaver praised the singing and said Portsmouth was ahead of any other town he had visited in his work.

Mr. Sunday took his text from Mark, ninth chapter and twenty-third verse: "Verily, verily, I say unto you, if ye had faith as a grain of mustard seed you remove mountains and pluck up the sycamore tree by the roots."

This was the kind of faith the churches needed. No one prayed as if he expected an answer to his prayers. They seem to think they won't get what they ask for, and of course don't get it; then they roast the preacher and the evangelist.

"Verily, verily." A railroad engineer in Iowa had told him this text was a "double header." God pulled the train out of the yard with two engines and faith kept it spinning over the division. People had not faith enough to meet the conditions required by God, and still expected their prayers to be answered.

"Faith is a blank check on the bank of Heaven. Fill in the blank, friends, present the check in prayer and God will honor it for any amount.

"Whatever ye ask in my name, believing, that shall ye receive."

Without faith it is impossible to please God. People don't put God to the test. A faithless prayer is an insult to God. People have faith in all sorts of tommy rot, including Mrs. Eddy.

Faith is like a trolley wire. Make the connection with the power and the car moves right along. "Did you ever see a motorman with his trolley off, standing and looking at his car and wondering why it didn't move Nit!"

It is a law of faith that we must believe before seeing. Many people want to be shown before believing. Such will never have a prayer answered. He cited the circumstance of the automatic watering trough for cattle, where the water flowed into the trough when the cattle stepped upon the platform. The cattle had faith that the water would be there when they went up to the trough. "That is more than can be said of many human beings and some church members. You couldn't drive them up to the trough with a club unless they could see the water in it. The animals have faith. You will never see an old steer, dying of thirst, shying at the platform because he can't see any water in the trough. He walks right on the platform and out comes the water. He knows."

The farmer gets what he sows. So does every one. If a young girl sows street gadding and five-cent theatres, and cheap novels and cheap young men, she will reap sin and sorrow, and suffering and disgrace. If she sows Bible and prayer meetings, and pure associations, she will reap joy and health and honor, health and happy womanhood. Many mothers are striving for a prize at a card party, when they should be at the Bible class — this, too, when their young daughters and sons are going down the home-stretch to perdition. We haven't the faith of Abraham, though the conditions today are ten times more propitious than they were in the days of the patriarch. We haven't the faith of the Puritans, though we are surrounded with the indications of God's love, and ten times more cause to believe in God's promises.

"I believe the devil has much to do with the fashions of the day, particularly the outlandish hats worn by the women.

"If men had more faith they wouldn't say such queer things when they lose a collar button.

"Shove out the groans and shove in the paeans of praise in your prayers."

He spoke of George Muhlet, the man who asked God for everything, and got everything he wanted. He had the mustard seed faith.

The text don't say faith of a grain of sand. Why? "Because a grain of sand it dead, and cannot grow. While a grain of mustard seed has life and grows into a great and useful plant."

The speaker cited many instances in his personal life where prayer had been answered in a seemingly miraculous manner. But there was no miracle about it, he said. He and others had fulfilled the conditions and asked in faith, believing. God kept him, he said, when he was getting twenty-five dollars a month for serving as janitor of a school house, when he might have been getting many hundred dollars a month for playing ball. He was trusting and believing. Divine grace kept him through his baseball career, and finally placed him where he could work for the Master and all his wants were provided for. He had the faith of a grain of mustard seed.

Mr. Sunday was a railroad fireman for some years, and dearly loves railroad men. He never tires of giving illustrations from their life. He says if a call comes to the meetings for a particular man to go out on a train an usher can call it right out from any part of the building. Several such calls have been made.

Interest grows in Mrs. Miller's school for Bible teaching. Many hundreds of women were on the platform after the sermon and manifested great interest in her lecture and instructions.

Mr. Sunday Is Muscular Man

There is no doubt about Bill Sunday being a worthy exponent of "muscular Christianity." He admits it. He says he is a graduate of three gymnasiums, has played baseball and football, and "for five rounds can go so fast that you can't see him for the dust." He says his besetting sin is his temper. He stuck to his text Thursday night which urged the necessity of "turning the other cheek," but admitted that if a man swatted him on one cheek he is afraid he would have to put his faith temporarily into cold storage and "mix it up." He spoke of having once used muscular evangelism with a saloonkeeper in Iowa, to the great spiritual good and subsequent regeneration of the saloonkeeper, "I had to," he said.

Evening Sermon

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will have a desire to amount to something, to be something.

It pays to make something out of yourself. It pays to conduct our public schools, to employ the best teachers. The work of the school teacher is second to none. The parents are spending too little time becoming acquainted with the teachers. It was a big mistake when the right to whip was taken from the teachers. I've been licked many a time and I never got it when I didn't need it, and needed it lots of times and didn't get it.

Must Have Care As To Character.

Brats of 10 to 15 years are running the homes. They put up a stiff line of talk and never get licked.

I wouldn't advise you to build character like a woman makes a cake. I heard one woman telling another how the other day. "You take flour and batter and eggs and salt and milk and sugar and extract of lemon, a lot of flour and milk if you want a big cake, and put them all together and beat it like a carpet only not so hard, and you've got a cake." That is, you have, if you're a woman. I don't know how to account for it unless by the fact that all women are good looking and good looking people are always lazy. Let a man try to make a cake according to that recipe and the cake he would turn out would be dropped and burglarproof and waterproof, and you could use it for the ball [illegible] on a self binder or a flywheel on a Corliss engine. That's a good deal like the way a woman fixes a young man so that [illegible] and takes off everything that is supposed to stay on and leaves on everything that should come off, and in a [illegible] old sewing machine starts to run like a man going to an [illegible] when his mother-in-law is dead.

If you're trying to build character with a [illegible] in your pocket throw it out. Tear up your cards. Stop your gaming and your betting life. Put the Lord Jesus Christ in your life and then your character will stand.

Advantages Are Great.

The advantages in this country were never greater than today. Books are as plentiful as the leaves on the trees and the newspapers are a better college than Abraham Lincoln ever had. We had skyscrapers, automobiles, battleships with men and powder enough on board to blow up a kingdom, searchlights that throw a streak of light into the inky night so that it looks like the finger mark of God, trolley cars, telephones, carnations and Carrie Nations, and God bless old Carrie Nation, too. We have Buster Browns and Katzenjammer Kids, we make cigarettes out of old cigar stubs thrown in the gutter. Electricity is generated from the rubbish of the streets. We are making more from the dump heaps near the mine pits than was taken from the pits 50 years ago. We can pick up an old shirt in a back alley so filthy a goat would pass it up, and make glucose from it and from glucose make whiskey. Oh, we're living in a wonderful age.

Hands Out Statistics.

Let me give you some statistics on success compiled by the United States government. In 1900 there were 15,000,000 men in the United States over 30 years age. Of these, 12,000,000 had attended common school only, and 2,000,000 could neither read nor write. There was 650,000 of them had been graduated from high schools, and 350,000 from colleges and universities. There is a book published called, "Who's Who in America," giving a list of prominent men in all walks of life. Of the 10,000,000 who had common school education, one in every 9,000 had his name in that book. None of the 2,000,000 literature appear there, and only one in 400 of those with high school educations are registered there, while of the college graduates one out of every 42 is given a place in the volume.

Some Hints On Courtship.

Many a young man says: "I never want to get married. But by and by he meets a girl with eyes and hair as black as the raven's wing, with teeth like a string of pearls, with lips like the finest coral and with eyes that shine like bright stars, and with that gazelle-like softness to which you are susceptible. In six months, if some fellow doesn't cut him out, he is looking for a house and in less than a year he is tacking down carpets and putting up stovepipe. When the desire comes he'll find a way. Many a boy curses and mocks God because his old daddy has been doing it for years.

Fathers be careful of the example which you are setting for your boys.

Bad Literature To Be Dreaded.

And be careful what you read. Don't read the bad and the worthless books. Not so very long ago four young men dropped from the scaffold in Chicago and the fifth is now serving a life term in the penitentiary at Joliet because they began by reading such novels as Dead Shot Dick, of Deadwood Gulch, and ended by the murderous robbery of the car barns. They got the wrong start. Make sure that you get the right start.

A mother was going away to spend the day and told the children to be good until she returned. They raised rough house all day, and when she returned home they were sent to bed. By and by one of the boys heard his father's voice in conversation with the mother, and she was telling how bad the boys had been and how much trouble she had with them.

A little later the boys heard their father coming upstairs. One of them said, "I hear father coming. I'm going to say my prayers." The other said, "I'm going to put on three pairs of pants." He knew they had something coming to them.

John Jacob Astor's father wanted him to be a butcher, but John had no liking for butchering hogs and scraping cattle, so he ran away to America and has been shaping America.

Must Have Definite Aim.

It's just as impossible to make a silk purse from a pig's ear [illegible] as it was [illegible].

And have some [illegible] to aim in life. Don't drift [illegible].

Somebody [illegible] "What are you going [illegible] grow up?" And the [illegible] "I guess I'll be [illegible] I like to play [illegible]."

[illegible] plied, "By getting up every time I fell down."

[illegible] of the enemy and shaping my own accordingly."

You can keep a cow alive on potato peelings and brush, but she won't give milk on that kind of a diet. And a cow that doesn't give milk is of no value. You don't raise cows for company.

When Carnegie Got Inspiration.

Col. James Anderson started the first iron works many years ago. He had a library of 400 volumes which he allowed the boys and girls to read. One poor boy earning $1.25 a week as bobbin boy in a mill read one of the books, and it was the inspiration of his life. That boy was Andrew Carnegie. Today he is pouring out his money like water, building libraries all over the country to give the boy a chance.

The speaker declared that education pays; it even helps to increase the average length of life of people. He cited statistics that show that the average life in Pennsylvania is 33 years. In Massachusetts it is 40 years, and in Sweden, where there is only one person out of a hundred who cannot read or write, the average life is 51 years. In India, where few can read or write the average life is 25 years. Twelve of the greatest inventions the world has ever known have been invented during the last 100 years, when people were becoming more generally educated. The Indians a few hundred years ago had the same lands which we now occupy. But they had no farms. They had no roads. They had no railroads. They had no autos, nor made no discoveries. They had no ice, no comic newspapers, no moving pictures, no chewing gum, no factories, no magazines, no picture post cards, no telephones, nor telegraphs, no schools, no churches, no salted peanuts, no ice cream cones, no guns nor axes, no saw mills, no planing mills, no moving machines, no self-binders, no doctors, no department stores, no bargain sales, no cheap restaurants, no nickelodeons, no blacksmith shops, no printing shops, no soda fountains, no peanut stands, no short cake, no Fourth of July, no groundhog day, no George Washington, no Teddie bears, no merry go-rounds, no eye glasses, no roller skates, no veal loaf, no potato salad. They just had health, and odor, and dirt that would not come off; yet they had the same country as we have, yet they had no potato mashers nor rolling pins. The ground was just the same and the gold was underneath it just as it was when the white people began to develop it. It was all here, yet the Indian couldn't clear the forests. This is the difference between knowing how to do things and not knowing how.

The branches of the tree of knowledge hang so low that any young man or woman may walk up and bear its fruit away if they want it.

Make Resolutions Then Break 'Em.

Many of you get balled up too easily and cash in too quick. You make a good beginning. One day you are like a cow licking salt and the next like a fellow in a graveyard straggling along reading the epitaphs on the tombstones.

You have no vim, no [illegible].

You aim high, but you have no power to pierce the armor of opposition and ring the bell. You have [illegible] and if you can't reach the big places you think ill of the world. I don't wish to discourage anybody. I don't wish to close the door and draw the [illegible] but there are many other places to be filled. If the legal spawn would all hatch into full fledged lawyers the whole world would be mortgaged for fees.

Some of you are mere ciphers in the game. You never make a touchdown or drive a base hit to bring a man home. You are not playing the world for a record.

Brains Are The Real Goods.

Some bluff their way through by brass talk. It is brains that counts. The plant takes what it needs from the soil. You have a like opportunity to build yourself up, and if you don't do it the others will leave you an abandoned wreck on the sea of passion.

If you are going to win out you must have grit. That means you must be able to say "no" when asked to do wrong, so loud it will stagger hell. Or "yes" so loud it will gladden the angels of God. Put up your dukes and fight the devil.

And Grit Helps Some.

I admire a man with grit. Grit—that's the Columbus that's in you. Grit—that's the George Washington in you, that saves America. Grit—that's the Abraham Lincoln in you that liberates America. Grit is that in you which makes you tunnel a mountain you can't climb. Be like a man with the itch and make everybody who comes near you scratch.

Look for the bright side of life. Be live wires. Get your heart full of sunshine. Don't start out with a frown, dynamite might be better. A smile puts a crimp in the undertakers' business and keeps the hearse in the shed longer and keeps the pallbearers away, and the embalming fluid out of your veins.

Don't wait until your wife dies before you tell your neighbors what a good woman she was. Brag about her when she's alive. Kiss her and tell her that meat was done fine; those soda biscuits were crackerjacks. The old bent form will begin to straighten out on the installment plan, the crow feet will iron out from the corners of her eyes, the wrinkles will disappear, and the little smile that used to play around her mouth when you were courting the blue-sashed maiden and fed her with candy hearts with reading and gum drops—the smile will come back with all its bewitching power.

It makes me sick to see a man wait until his wife dies and then go and spend $15 or $20 for a floral "Gates Ajar," or a wheel shy one spoke to put on her coffin or toss on her grave with a "smell that if you can." What's the good of flowers to her then? She can't smell them when she's been pumped full of embalming fluid and covered with six feet of dirt. Buy 'em when she's alive. Take flowers home and put them in a dish and set the dish on one of those dingerammuses doileys and set them on the table where she can smell them.

Don't Like The Band Wagon Biz.

Some people never lead in anything in life. They never take a shot at anything. I despise the fellow who waits until a thing is a popular fad and then pops up and tries to climb on the tail end of the band wagon. They are afraid of being ridiculed; afraid of what some newspaper will say; or of what some old gossip may do.

I can tell your size by what you are doing and what you have accomplished. Samson in you that won't let you turn back when you hear the lions roar. The louder the roar, the bigger the lion, and the bigger the lion, the bigger the hive, and the bigger the hive, the more honey you'll get.

Don't be like some of the characters in Dante's Inferno, not good enough to go to heaven and too good to go to hell.

Conceited Ones Are Lambasted.

Self-conceit and big headedness will hinder you. There is more hope for the fool than for the fellow who thinks he knows it all. The trouble with a conceited man is that it takes his head so long to burst we get tired waiting for the undertaker.

A conceited man is on stilts with his wooden legs hidden by his long trousers. He is like a grass hopper on a telegraph pole. Like a drum major in a parade; like the stripes on a barber pole; like a newspaper with all scareheads and no telegraph news; like a cheap skate restaurant with everything i nthe window.

Make Your Opportunities.

You say you're poor and haven't the opportunities, you live in obscurity and squalor. Listen. Sit down when you go home tonight and count in your mind the men in history who have crept and crawled from the sewers of poverty and the quagmires of squalor. Obscurity never kept Benjamin Franklin walking the streets of Philadelphia gnawing his loaf. Obscurity didn't keep Thomas Edison working as a telegraph operator sending messages for $60 per month. It didn't keep David herding sheep. If diamonds and gold were not so hard to get they wouldn't be worth much.

Draws Picture From Abe Lincoln.

Rev. Sunday told a graphic story of the life of Abraham Lincoln. How he worked on the flatboat and when drifting down stream worked out problems as to how to get back up. When at work in the store he learned chapters from the book of human life which were afterwards to him golden rungs in the ladder of fame, to the top of which he climbed. He didn't do like the young men loafing around the street corners with their hands in their pockets squirting tobacco juice from one corner of their mouth or in bed sleeping off a drunk. Abraham Lincoln spread a thin layer of ashes on the dirt floor of his cabin and solved problems in Euclid. He was often discouraged and threatened to quit, but would again resolutely say, "No, I'll be somebody anyhow. Don't give up yet."

The old world struck a new scent and a new trail, which led through the woods and to a log cabin. When the world knocked on the door, Abraham Lincoln arose so big and great and all the cabin roof fell off. He stepped from that cabin to be the greatest of American men. The obscure lodging may be famous tomorrow, as the cottage of Robert Burns, and the cell of John Bunyan.

Play with the children, and if you haven't got any, borrow some. Be like the farmer in Illinois who went to the city and told a friend he'd take all the children the friend could find back to the farm. He took twenty, and they brought so much sunshine and love into his life he adopted the whole twenty.

God wants you to get out of the rut. Go to the chicken show, or do anything, but get out of the rut. Like the man who went to see the doctor; with the usual first act. "Let me see your tongue," the man replied, "Look at my wife's tongue; that's what's the matter with me."

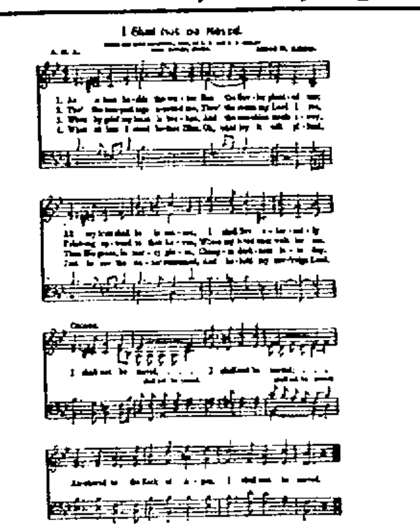
You can't tell the size of a man by the fuss he makes. A frog makes more noise than whale. A pup always barks louder than a dog. You'll find you're up against it many times. "Dig the foundation deep, young man."

Plant firm the outer wall,
Build it well, whate'er you do,
Build it straight and strong and true,
Build it clean and high and broad,
Build it for the eye of God."

In closing he told of the marathon race that is run every year as a national event in Greece. It is considered the greatest honor of the year to win this. One year a young Grecian entered and his father charged him to win. When the racers came under the wire it was discovered that the young Grecian had won. As he passed the royal box the king rose and saluted him. It is considered the greatest earthly honor in Greece to have the king salute a subject. But the boy paid no attention. He continued running until he had run into the arms of his aged, bent and lowly father. "I have obeyed you. I have done your bidding. I have done the best I could." That is all that our Father wants of us—that we do the best we can.

"We believe Portsmouth is today on the verge of a great revival. It is approaching a great awakening. It may be that we here are approaching a great revolution that will be fore Portsmouth as great as the revolution was for this country in 1776. May there be a tidal wave of Christianity. Everywhere the people are praying for it. May the wave of revival sweep down through this city and through the surrounding country and the surrounding hamlets, and may Thy harvest be great, and Thine will be the power and the glory. Forever. Amen."

One Of The Songs Of The Sunday Campaign



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THE DAVENPORT MYSTERY

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I HAD not seen nor heard much of Chanler Rao for several months. He had started, with his little son, on a professional tour of the principal provincial cities, and was astonishing the big towns in the North with his unique exposition of Eastern magic. I saw by the notices in the papers that he was due at the Winter Gardens, Scarborough, for the month of July. Then I lost sight of his movements altogether until the Davenport Mystery threw me once again into his strange company.

The matter began with a little paragraph in a London halfpenny paper:

STRANGE OCCURRENCE ON THE SCOTCH EXPRESS

The friends of a Brixton young lady, Miss Clara Davenport, are seriously concerned at her mysterious disappearance from the Great Northern Scotch express yesterday. Miss Davenport, who has been living for the past three years with her maternal uncle and aunt at Brixton, had arranged to pay a visit to some friends in Scotland, and on Monday morning started on her journey northward by the 10.30 from King's Cross.

Her uncle, Mr. Arkwright, saw her safely into the train, in which, by Miss Davenport's particular request, a first-class compartment had been reserved for the whole journey. Her Scotch friends were to meet her at Aberdeen; but on the arrival of the express at that station they were surprised to find that, though her labeled luggage was duly put out, the young lady herself was not amongst the passengers alighting, nor could they discover her in the train.

At first they supposed that there had been some change in her plans, or that she had missed her train in London. But on telegraphing to Brixton they learned that she had duly started as arranged; and, in some alarm at her non-arrival, they communicated with the railway authorities and with the police. A disquieting feature of the case is that the outer door of Miss Davenport's reserved compartment, though presumably closed when the express left Montrose, was reported to be wide open when the train strained into Aberdeen station.

A careful inquiry along the line has been instituted, but up to the time of going to press no signs of the missing young lady have been discovered.

Finally, it was discovered that only two days before her disappearance she had gone into town alone, and, by the use of her uncle's well-known name, had obtained on approval large quantities of jewelry, to the value of some £500, from firms with whom he was in the habit of dealing. As Mr. Arkwright denied all knowledge of these transactions, and the jewels had disappeared along with the young lady herself, it was presumed that they formed part of the proposed means of raising the money to enable her to join her lover in Texas.

On the strength of these significant discoveries, the police at last took action, and a notice was put out offering a reward of £100 for information as to the missing lady's whereabouts. A full description was given: "Age 24; rather tall—about 5 ft. 8½ in.; figure somewhat slight; very upright and active; complexion ruddy and sunburnt; gray eyes; dark brown hair; rather large hands and feet. When last seen she was wearing a dark gray tailor-made traveling costume with a motor hat, and she carried a small morocco wrist-bag and an umbrella."

Then began the great "Clara Davenport hunt."

Innumerable "Miss Davenports" were discovered daily by all sorts of people in all sorts of unlikely places—only, unfortunately in each case, a very little investigation showed that a mistake had been made.

It happened just then, that my annual autumn holiday was due. As usual, I was going for three weeks' golf at Aulish, a quiet spot near Forfar—so quiet, indeed, that when people ask me what sort of a place it is I have to explain that, strictly speaking, it is not what one would call a "place" at all; it is just a links—and nothing more. There is a big, comfortable hotel, a ground where the younger and richer men play polo, and the finest eighteen-hole golf-course you have ever seen.

On the train northward, I slept soundly. I had a dim consciousness at last of our stopping at York, and of somebody being bundled into my compartment with innumerable parcels and packages. Then, as the door was banged, and the train began to move on, I opened my eyes and found, to my astonishment, Chanler Rao and his dusky little son on the seat opposite.

Chanler did not seem in the least surprised at our chance encounter. He was gazing at me in his usual placid fashion, and the moment he saw that I was awake he began to overwhelm me with his elaborate salutations and exaggerated protestations of regard.

"But, Chanler," I said, "what on earth brings you in the Scotch express?"

"It is a little holiday," he replied. "No engagements for the next seven days. So I run away to your bonnie Scotland. And whither? Why, to Aberdeen, to find this so mysterious Miss Davenport!"

I could not help smiling to note how the current English excitement had seized on this child of the East.

But Chanler was perfectly serious.

"Your police are no good," he said, with fine contempt. "Even now, with the whole case put under their very noses, they are on the wrong idea altogether, and will let her escape. So I must go myself."

"But," I said, "I thought the police had at last discovered something in Edinburgh?"

"The police?" said Chanler, still more contemptuously. "*They* discovered it not. They were helpless—all out at sea, as you say—till by anonymous communication I gave them my hints. 'Inquire,' I said, 'at the cloak-room—first at York, then at Newcastle, then at Edinburgh.' And now, with all the facts before them, they bungle it again—not only publishing what ought to be kept quiet as the mouse, but actually missing the whole point of the clue I put in their hands! . . . and yet the case is so simple."

"Simple?" I said doubtfully. Of course, the idea of a Hindu conjuror like Chanler teaching our trained police and detectives how to do their work was preposterous; but I was entertained by his bumptious pretensions.

"Perfectly simple," he replied. "You start with the ascertained facts. The lady is bent on getting to her lover in Texas; but there are several obstacles. I put them under three heads. First, the difficulty of arranging anything under the eyes of the uncle and aunt, who will smell the rat, and will watch her closely. Secondly, the impossibility of getting away from Brixton without her flight being at once discovered and stopped. Thirdly, the difficulty of poverty—the absence of all means of meeting the heavy expense of the voyage out.

"The first and second difficulties are met by this proposed visit to Scotland; there, in the house of these friends, she will be able to make all the plans, map out her arrangements, and, at the right moment, upon some specious pretext—possibly a pretended summons to return to Brixton—she will leave, make her journey to Liverpool, and, hey presto! be half-way to America before the old people in London know anything about it. The third difficulty—the want of means—is solved by her fraud on the jewelers.

"And here, too, the Scotch visit is a help. From Aberdeen—a place where she is not known—she will be able best, with the least suspicion, to turn the jewelry into the money she needs for her journey to America. This, I believe, was clearly Miss Davenport's plan, carefully thought out and arranged for, when she consented so readily to make that Scotch visit."

"Perhaps so," I remarked. "But since it certainly was not carried out, I don't see how it helps you now."

"It helps a good deal," replied Chanler, "because it forces one to ask, why was it not carried out? And I find the answer in that communication from one of the defrauded jewelers which reached Mr. Arkwright on the morning of his niece's contemplated departure. That communication seriously alarmed the young lady, nor would she be at all comforted, I guess, by Mr. Arkwright's promise to call on the jeweler at once; she feels that everything is on the very pinpoint of discovery—that there must be no further delay. And I find the plainest indications that she started on that Scotch journey resolved not to meet those friends at Aberdeen at all, but to disappear on the way."

"But," I objected, "if that were really her purpose, why go traveling on to Edinburgh? Surely some earlier stop—York, for instance, with a direct run to Liverpool—would be her obvious line of escape?"

"Obvious," said Chanler; "but she did not take it. Again, we ask why? And the answer is plain; there is something on the way which she wants to get before she disappears. Hence my idea of inquiry at the cloak-rooms. And this bag, which she claims at Edinburgh, is the solution—very much what I expected."

"Ah," I said, "you think that bag contained the jewelry, which, I suppose, she had sent on for safety two days before?"

"Possibly," Chanler replied; "but I think also that it contained something else that she wanted even more than the jewelry. And she got it. We have the clearest evidence that it was duly conveyed to her place in the train. So, then, beyond Edinburgh, you have Miss Clara Davenport still seated in her reserved compartment being whirled away towards Aberdeen, where her relatives—and possibly the police, warned by telegraph from those London jewelers—are waiting to receive her. Now, don't you see what she is going to do?"

I shook my head.

"Why," said Chanler, "you are as slow as the police—they don't see either. And it is just because they don't, that the whole search is useless—they will never find her. I *know* what she did—with the half of the eye I can see the one thing she would be certain to try. And it is just because I know it, that I go to Aberdeen. Within four days I expect to lay my hand upon this lady and to give everybody a surprise."

At Dundee we parted—he with little Rao to continue his journey to Aberdeen; I to my slower train along the branch line towards Aulish. At the last moment Chanler took down my address.

"I will telegraph to you when I have found the lady," he said.

I found the Links Hotel very full—so full, indeed, that at dinner I could not get my accustomed place near the south window, but had to share a table with a young fellow who was already half-way through his fish when I sat down.

But even here the plague of Miss Clara Davenport pursued me. We had not been talking ten minutes before he put his question:

TO MY ASTONISHMENT I FOUND CHANLER RAO

"And what do you think about the Davenport case?"

I tried to hint that I was suffering from a surfeit of the problem. But in his eagerness he ignored my protest. And, in a way, he even succeeded in interesting me afresh. Like Chanler, he blamed the police for slowness and stupidity; and, like Chanler, he had his own special solution of the problem.

In the smoke-room, later in the evening, I was talking to old Colonel Jephson, and happened to mention my dining-companion's theory.

"Ah, yes—young Maxwell," he said. "Nice, bright young lad, isn't he? Quite a new comer, but he's already the most popular person in the hotel. Makes friends with everybody—and everybody likes him. A capable youngster, too—good shot—fair golf—first-rate billiards—and a horseman. Just the sort of young fellow I like—nothing namby-pamby about him. Got brains, too, and can talk."

I mentioned that I had already been favored with a specimen of his conversational powers.

"What? The Davenport nonsense?" said Colonel Jephson. "Oh, yes—he's full of that. Buttonholes everybody about it—comes down before everybody else to see the latest reports in the papers. Got his own theory about it, too—and, by Jove, you know, I am not at all sure but what he may be right. . . . He's been at me all day about writing to the police about it.

Now, I cannot exactly explain how it happened, but certainly during the next few days, the boy and I got on fairly familiar terms; so much so, that I believe his time was pretty equally divided between a Miss Ruth Clifford and myself. Miss Clifford's widowed mother was the misguided matron who had booked rooms for a month in advance for herself and her daughter, under a mistaken notion that Aulish was a health-resort on the coast. It was therefore somewhat of a relief to me when, on the fourth morning of my sojourn, his courting of Miss Clifford reached such a stage of success that he received an invitation to sit at their table, and I was left alone.

But the vacancy was soon to be filled. That very afternoon, when a sudden shower had driven everybody in, and the large hall of the hotel was crowded, the 'bus from the station drove up, and the manager came forward to greet a new guest. You may judge of my surprise when the door opened and Chanler Rao was ushered in. He saw me at once, and came up with his ridiculously elaborate salutation.

"Why, Chanler," I exclaimed, "you seem bent on giving me surprises! What on earth brings you to Aulish?"

He looked at me in mild simplicity.

"I have come to learn the golf," he said, in a voice sufficiently raised for everybody to hear. Then he turned to the manager to discuss the question of his rooms. The matter seemed to involve so much consideration that, on his own proposal, an adjournment was made to the bureau. But, after a few moments, he emerged with a satisfied look, and I seized the earliest opportunity of taking him to a quiet corner to inquire the meaning of this new move.

"It is all right," said Chanler triumphantly. "I have followed Miss Davenport to this hotel!"

"Why—how do you mean?" I said. Then, with a recollection of his recent interview with the manager, I hazarded a guess. "Do you suspect her of hiding here as a servant?"

"No," answered Chanler; "I have just satisfied myself as to that. The host—landlord—what do you call him? tells me that all his staff are engaged from the beginning of the season; none of them is fresh. So she must be among the guests."

Now, you will readily understand that an acquaintance like Chanler Rao is a little bit embarrassing—people never seem to be sure whether you are entertaining an Indian prince or hobnobbing with a vulgar adventurer. However, as I was the only person in the hotel to whom he was at all known, I could not do less than propose that he should occupy the vacancy at my table in the dining-room. But we were no sooner seated than he suggested changing places with me, so that he might get a better view of the room.

"Could you," he said, after a while, "introduce me to the little party at the table in the far corner—the fat old lady with the young daughter to whom that straight-backed gentleman is paying such attention?"

"Certainly," I said, "I will manage it directly after dinner". And I smiled to myself as I imagined how surprised Chanler would be when he found that Miss Clifford was barely five feet in height.

"And what do you think of the Davenport mystery?" Maxwell propounded his usual question when I had presented Chanler.

"The—what?" inquired Chanler, with a countenance of bland ignorance.

"The Davenport mystery—the disappearance of Miss Clara Davenport," said Maxwell. "Ah, I see; of course, you don't read the English papers. But it is really the most extraordinary business. I'll tell you all about it. . . . "

"Well" I said, as we parted for the night at his bedroom door, "and what do you think now?"

"I think that your young friend Mr.—Maxwell, is it?—is a most ingenious and clever person," he said.

"Yes, yes," I answered; "but I don't mean that. What do you think about the young lady?"

Chanler looked at me for a moment, as if he thought my curiosity a little stupid. Then he smiled.

"I shall be better able to tell you that when I have played the golf," he said.

And with this enigmatical utterance he went off to bed.

But in the morning the golf seemed doubtful after all. The day opened dark and unpromising, and after breakfast a sharp shower kept Chanler indoors. He has a horror of wet grass; and it was nearly eleven before Maxwell could persuade him that it was fit for play.

Now I have seen many curious things on a golf-course; but I fancy the spectacle that morning of Chanler Rao, in what Jenkins always speaks of as "full native costoom," vainly endeavoring to master the mysteries of the game, must be set at the head of my list. He could make nothing of it at all; and he exhibited a surprising irritation at his own failures—and still more, as it seemed to me, at the ease and skill with which Maxwell played. At length, he threw down his driver in disgust.

"I could do it better with my hands," he said. And picking up a golf ball, he made a fine throw—sending it spinning overhead into some distant bushes.

"Can you beat that?" he asked, turning with a smile to young Maxwell. But his smile died away when he saw the readiness with which Maxwell accepted the challenge, and threw another ball in fine style in the same direction.

It was really a magnificent throw; and I was not surprised when a caddie came running back to announce that Maxwell's ball had gone some five yards beyond Chanler's. But I was astonished when I noticed how disappointed Rao appeared to be, and the almost childish depression that settled upon him after his defeat.

Then, as we left the links, he gave me a new surprise.

"I am thinking," he said, "of buying Colonel Jephson's pony for my little son. Will you come round to the stables to look at him?"

And as Maxwell readily consented, I could but follow, though what on earth little Rao could do with a polo pony passed my powers of comprehension. I was still more puzzled when, at the stables, Chanler himself assisted the groom to saddle the pony, and then suggested that Maxwell should mount him.

"I want to be sure that he is quiet before I purchase him," Rao explained.

Maxwell rather drew back.

"Colonel Jephson might not like it," he said.

"But I have the colonel's permission," said Chanler. "I told him I should ask you, and he said: 'By all means'."

The groom confirming this, Maxwell at length consented. He sprang to the saddle with the ready ease of an experienced rider. But no sooner was he mounted than that abominable pony began every equine trickery you can imagine. He plunged, and kicked, and reared, and buck-jumped; then he bolted for a hundred yards or more; then he stopped dead, only to begin the whole performance over again.

It was a splendid piece of horsemanship, and set me wondering whether there was anything this dandified youth could not do.

But Chanler shook his head.

"The pony," he said, "would be much too rough for little Rao."

And the disappointment seemed perceptibly to increase his growing discontent.

That afternoon I got my first suspicion that this Davenport business was turning the poor fellow's brain. But I had no time to dwell on the point, for just at that moment the manager came up with a request. Mr. Maxwell and some other guests had been telling him of Chanler's wonderful performances in London and elsewhere; and, with many apologies for the liberty he was taking, he ventured to ask whether Rao would help him to meet the problem of a wet afternoon by entertaining the guests with Eastern magic?

At first Chanler absolutely refused; he had no apparatus—it was a holiday—he had much else to think of. Then just as suddenly he changed his mind, and became quite keen on the project. And the result was that for the next half hour waiters were busy arranging seats in the drawing-room, and Chanler was engaged in collecting a most curious mixture of everyday articles as substitutes for his regular paraphernalia.

The first trick was an old one. It was the illusion of the egg, which, in Chanler's hands changes into almost anything the audience may choose. As usual, it finished up by turning into a live mouse in a mouse-trap. But on this occasion, by some carelessness or mischance, Chanler opened the door of the trap and let the mouse loose.

The five ladies of our company, who occupied front seats, screamed and gathered up their skirts as the little creature ran towards them. But Maxwell, who was sitting near Miss Clifford, stooped down at once and cleverly caught the mouse in his hand and restored it to the trap. Chanler was profuse in his apologies for the mishap. I judged from his face that he fully realized that this was not a very happy beginning.

The next item in the program was new to me. Rao had borrowed my razor and strop. He now took up the razor and, explaining that he required the keenest possible edge, requested young Maxwell to strop it. I am rather particular about my razors, and was about to offer to do this myself, when Chanler restrained me by a significant glance; but the moment Maxwell took it in hand and began in quite a professional manner to strop from heel to tip, turning the blade carefully each time on the back, I saw that he could be trusted safely.

Even Chanler himself, who was carefully watching the operation, was satisfied that the blade was perfectly sharpened. Then, with apparently nothing in his hand but my highly-tempered razor, he chopped an ordinary kitchen poker into four pieces and handed the pieces round, together with the undamaged razor, for our inspection.

The third trick was with Colonel Jephson's hat. You know how Chanler varies his hat trick. This time it was fruit. A monster melon, three fine pines, grapes, bananas, peaches, and plums—in a few moments, out of that wonderful hat fruit sufficient to supply a large banquet had been piled on the table. Then came Rao's usual little joke—gigantic struggles with the hat, resulting in the production of a very small apple. He held it up in triumph.

"I should like the audience to know that this is really genuine. Perhaps somebody will kindly catch it and hand it round." And, as he spoke, Chanler pitched the apple across towards where Maxwell was sitting. It seemed to be thrown unnecessarily high and fell awkwardly; but Maxwell was ready, and caught it easily. Chanler beamed across upon him in genuine delight.

"Very cleverly caught, *Miss Clara Davenport*," he cried out with clear emphasis.

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"And you are still puzzled?" said Chanler an hour later, as we sat in the smoke-room. The examination of "Mr. Maxwell's" trunks had revealed such damning evidence in the shape of a lady's gray traveling-costume and a quantity of feminine jewelry, that further doubt was impossible, and Miss Davenport was safely in custody. But I was yet in the dark as to how Chanler got his proof.

"Well, go back to where we left the problem when we last discussed it," said Rao. "We left Miss Clara Davenport alone in a first-class compartment between Edinburgh and Aberdeen, driven by the necessity of obtaining her bag at Edinburgh to postpone till the last stage of her journey her real plan of escape. You failed altogether to guess what she would do next.

"But, really, the thing had the plainness of a pikestaff. Her friends at Aberdeen—and, as she fears, the police, too—will be looking for a woman; she will obviously try to escape as a man. And the transformation had already been arranged for. The bag she claimed at Edinburgh contained the necessary clothing. The reserved compartment was insisted on to provide a private dressing-room. The long run between Montrose and Aberdeen will give her the opportunity of changing, and also of cutting off her hair. So she actually arrives at Aberdeen, and passes, with the coolness of the cucumber, under the very noses of her friends and the officials.

"The very audacity of this step—her boldness in going to hide in the very place where people were expecting her—was almost enough to have taken the cakes. No one would dream that she would choose to go there. But the whole scheme is ruined by one never-to-be-got-over mistake. That little trick of unlocking the carriage door—originally, I should guess, an impulsive feminine device to divert the search from Aberdeen itself—had consequences the lady had not foreseen.

"It is not so easy as you would suppose for a stranger, in an eye-twinkle, to turn into money a quantity of new jewelry without provoking awkward inquiries; it requires care, and involves delay. And in the meantime that open railway-door, and its suggestion of a terrible accident, has struck your public's sympathy in a way that a mere disappearance could never have done. In three days the eyes of all England are fixed on the problem. Clearly, till this excitement has abated, she will not have a ghost's chance to get off at any seaport. For the present, then, she will try to hide somewhere—to keep under the rose—till the search is relaxed. And she will, of course, do it still disguised as a young man.

"Now, just because I was sure as the rock that she would adopt this method, I was enabled, with but small difficulty, to pick up the thread where the police missed it, and to trace the lady on here. It was a little startling to find her in a man's sporting center; but that is only of the piece with her boldness in talking to everybody about the case, and in carrying out her assumed character so far as actually to make love to that poor little Miss Clifford—a boldness which by its very audacity was the secret of her success. It was this that made it so difficult to turn one's suspicions into proof.

"The golf did not help me; for in style of play, measure of success, and even in language on occasional failure, the lady was as thoroughly masculine as anybody on the course. I challenged her to throw, because a woman's throwing is nearly always unmistakable; but she did it in a manner only to be explained by the fact that from her earliest years she had lived a tom-boy life with her brothers out in Texas. And she sat the polo pony—in spite of a little harmless irritant which I had inserted under the saddle—she sat the restive animal with a *knee-grip* that I never expected to see in a woman.

"She was equally successful in facing the two searching tests which I planned in our little entertainment. The mouse I let loose did not startle her into the slightest fear. And she stropped that razor in a fashion that was a lesson to many a man. It was only when the sudden idea occurred to me of throwing the apple across the room to her that she gave the show away. Instead of bringing her legs together, as a man, when sitting, instinctively does in taking a difficult catch, she opened her knees wide apart *to make a lap*—and I knew in a moment that she was feminine gender!"

SOME PICTORIAL DOPE ON EVENTS OF THE WEEK

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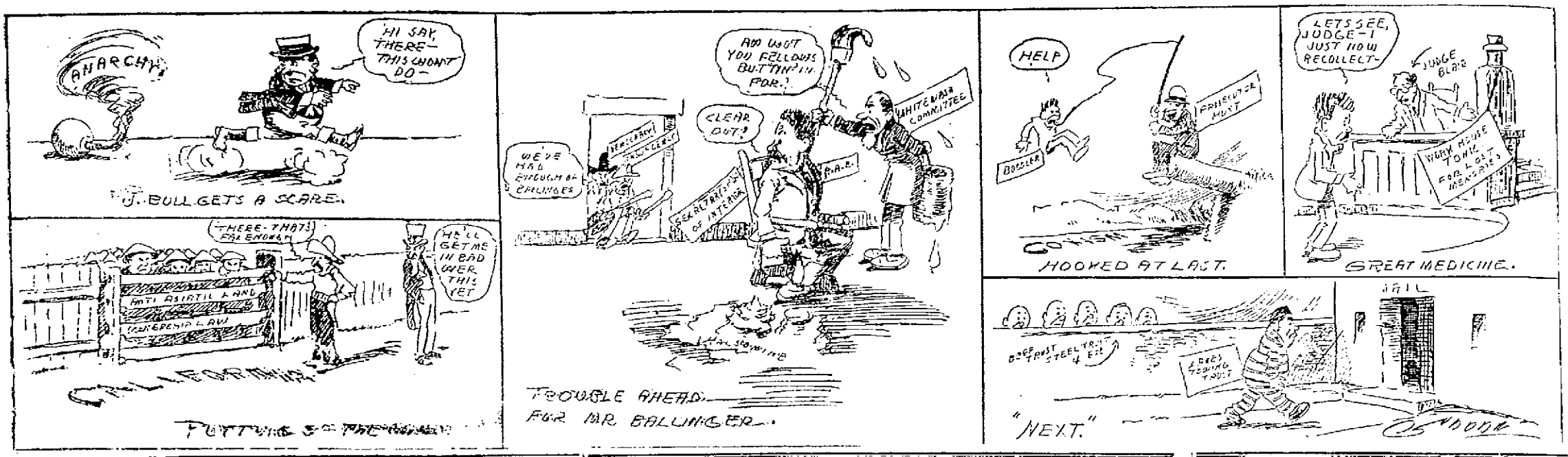

Belated Boodlers Draw Heavy Fines From Judge Blair

Stragglers held the boards at West Union Friday, and heavy fines proved the order of the day. Judge Blair made good his word to deal severely with those belonging to that class.

The bold-backs were chiefly Scott and Monroe township farmers who were among the very first indicted when the present election probe was begun several weeks ago.

John Cooper, a Brush Creek farmer, drew the heaviest punishment given to a boodler since the probe began. He got $250 and costs, though he had received but $2 for his vote at the last election. By a strange coincidence a young namesake and distant relative, hailing from the same locality, was first brought in by mistake by deputies. Judge Blair, who is personally acquainted with the elder Cooper, at once discovered the error and proceeded to dismiss the young man, when to his surprise he made the open confession that while perhaps he was the wrong man, he was equally guilty. After first thanking him for his honesty, the judge let him off with the minimum fine of $5 and costs and five years' disfranchisement. The incident was another evidence that perhaps many are guilty whose names do not appear upon the lists.

Another straggler who paid dearly for his tardiness was William Grooms, aged 83 years. He was fined $200 and costs, as told in Friday's telegrams. Grooms had ignored repeated warnings to appear. He is said to be worth $50,000, and yet was regarded as the king sinner of Adams county boodlers. He has a wide relationship. Of the 100 or more voters in the county of that name, it is said but several have been in a habit of accepting bribes.

Philip Hardin, a farmer of near Seaman, and one of the real wealthy men of the county, was fined $100 and costs and disfranchised. Hardin, whose wealth is established at $40,000, he possessing $10,000 worth of government bonds alone, had contracted to sell the votes of his two sons, Alfred and Hiram, and his son-in-law, Walter Edensield for $10. They accordingly received $2.50 each. The sons were fined $25 and costs each and Edensield $50 and costs. The court added the extra five to Edensield's fine because he himself owns a farm. All were disfranchised.

The grand jury is going over the ground again like a fine-toothed comb, and the work is necessarily slower, because of the more rigid examination of witnesses. Only 80 new indictments were returned on Friday, and 100 persons arraigned and sentenced. Much information is coming to the jury now by letter. Conscience stricken ones are acknowledging their guilt in writing and promising to appear as soon as possible. This is one effect of the court's newspaper advertisements.

The county commissioners up to Friday night had not seen fit to grant the $3,000 extra salary allowance demanded by Clerk O. G. Gorman, and although his counsel, Congressman A. R. Johnson, of Ironton, had failed to put in an appearance, it was expected that Gorman would file suit Saturday to test the legality of the state salary law.

Common talk around West Union is that an ex-sheriff was the first man to introduce money into Adams county for election purposes. That was in the 70's, when the man put out $400. Fifty cents was paid for a vote. The man was elected.

Though at present overshadowed by the election probe, it is said that another issue that has been quietly agitating the minds of some Adams county citizens is the reported extravagance in bridge building. While figures are not available, it is stated on reliable authority that Adams county has paid more for the building of its bridges and turnpikes than any other county in the state. Zimmerman Bros. of West Union, have been in the bridge building business for ten years, but it was not until a year ago that they were enabled to obtain any work in their home county.

WISHON SUIT DISMISSED BY SQUIRE

Squire Byron dismissed the case of Pel Wishon against Emil Doerr Friday evening after a brief hearing which developed the fact that Wishon had no grounds for suit. There were no attorneys.

Pel Wishon brought suit against Doerr to collect a five dollar bill he insisted he dropped in Doerr's place of business. He had seen Doerr pick up a bill from the floor. Later he said he lost a two dollar bil land then the third time claimed that it was a single buck. When the truth came out at the trial it was learned that the bill Doerr found was a Canadian one dollar bill.

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DEATH COMES TO GEORGE MINNERY

Mrs. Caroline Minnery, 27 East Front street, received a telegram Saturday, containing the sadness of the death of her only son, George, 20 years of age, who passed away at a hospital in El Paso, Texas, Saturday morning at 6 o'clock, as the result of a lingering illness with tuberculosis.

Only on Friday, Tide Davenport, a particular friend of the unfortunate young man, had received a cheering letter from him in which he stated that he was getting along nicely and hoped to soon be well. Mr. Davenport, with his characteristic whole heartedness, knowing that the young man was in need of financial help had notified all his friends to meet at the Play House this evening at which time it was hoped to raise for him a substantial purse. A few days ago his chums had sent him $10.00 and his letter of Friday acknowledged receipt of the same. It will be recalled that last summer Mr. Davenport gave a benefit motor cycle race, turning the entire proceeds, which amounted to $150, to Mr Minnery. It was on this money that he made the trip to Texas in search of health.

He was a well-known shoeworker, and a young man of exemplary habits, and his many friends will be pained to learn that he has been cut down so early in life. He was employed at the Excelsior Shoe Co., up until he became ill. The widowed mother of the young man has telegraphed to ship the remains home. The date for the funeral can not be set until the body arrives. The services over the remains will be conducted by Rev. P. S. Bauman, pastor of the German Methodist church, of which Mr. Minnery was a faithful communicant.

CHURCH NOTICES.

First Church of Christ Scientists. No. 20 East Second Street.

Sunday services at 10:30 a. m. subject, "Sacrament." Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Wednesday evening services at 7:30. Free reading room open to the public daily except Sunday, from 2 to 4 p. m.

Handsome Doc Has Admirer

The arrival by mail Saturday of a mysterious looking package at Doc Garrison's barber shop, addressed to himself led the proprietor to think some one, perhaps the Black Hand society, was after his goat with an infernal machine. The package was void of evil contents, however, and contained a pretty stick-pin. Now Doc wonder which one of his admirers sent him the present.

Newly-Weds Back Home

Lou Robertson and wife, formerly Mrs. Ida Deba, arrived in Portsmouth Friday night from Columbus, where they were married. They have started housekeeping at 370 Robinson avenue. Local friends among the railroad men are preparing to give the two an old fashioned belling tonight.

Herb Goriell will return to his old love as clerk at Wiechen's cigar store, Monday.

NO COURT HERE UNTIL NEXT SATURDAY

Judge Blair sent word Saturday that he could not leave the repentant ones down in old Adams long enough to run up to the Peerless to convene court for a day. He asked the clerk to continue all cases set for Saturday over till next Saturday at which time he expects to be on hands. The January term of court opens on Monday the 16th at which time the grand jury convenes. Anxious ones who are wondering whether the Judge intends to start a boodle investigation in old Scioto will thus not have a great while to wait.

GARTNER TO GO TO PEN

Chillicothe, Jan. 7.—Nolan Gartner, cashier of the Kingston Bank which failed, and who was convicted of making false entries, will begin his six years' sentence next week. His attorneys today decided not to take the case to the supreme court.

Lucasville Widow Deserted & Robbed

Chillicothe, Jan 7.—Mrs. Mary Adams of Lucasville, a widow with four children, called on the police Friday to help her find Will Curtis. She told the officers that she sold her property in Lucasville and agreed to go to Cleveland and be married. After reaching here last Monday, Curtis prevailed upon her to give him $250 and she has not seen him since. She says Curtis is 45 years old. She met him on the streets here while doing Christmas shopping.

FIRE SALE.

Canned goods from the Gilbert Grocery Co. fire, 5 cents a can at J. J. Orlett's, 217 Market St. 104

Will Brandel, of the Davis Drug Company, went to Cincinnati on a business trip, Friday.

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James W. Kehoe, a popular former shoeworker, and only son of Deputy State Workshop Inspector Martaugh Kehoe, is now a full-fledged postmaster.

Jimsey has just bought out the general store of Philip Fulkerson at Ladd, Pike county, and Friday received notice of his appointment as postmaster. Mr. Fulkerson who is one of the old settlers of that community will move to Hillsboro.

Kenova Goes Democratic

J. H. Lambert, democrat, was elected Mayor of Kenova, by six majority at the election Thursday. All other Democrats were elected.

Mrs. George Thorn of Shakespeare alley, who was abandoned by her husband some months ago, Saturday morning, appealed to the city authorities for aid.

A BRIGHT GIRL PASSED AWAY ON SATURDAY

Miss Rosa Scherer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Scherer, of Munn's Run, near New Boston, died Saturday at 7 a. m. at the home of her parents.

She was 22 years of age and one of a family of ten children. She was a victim of tuberculosis and suffered from the dread disease for two years.

She was a splendid young woman and her untimely death is greatly deplored by a wide circle of friends.

Besides the parents there survives six brothers and three sisters. The funeral will be held from St. Mary's church of this city, Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

D. A. Alsover [illegible] Friday moved from [illegible] to the Edgar Dennis [illegible] on East Second street.

Woodmen Had A Big Time

[illegible] Woodmen of America [illegible] Friday night. A large [illegible] present. [illegible] the installation, a social [illegible] enjoyed by the members [illegible].

Gets License To Marry

[illegible] Monday, Howard Powell and [illegible], both of Portsmouth, [illegible] Mrs. Ella [illegible] Portsmouth, [illegible].

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